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WHAT TO DO with the Orinda Community Center land is a very real problem for Orinda. This three-man special committee of the Orinda Association has been making extensive studies for several months. The trio is shown at the site, trying to figure out ways and means of making the Community Center a reality. Left to right are Robert Harrison, Chairman Kirk Miles and Robert Anthonisen.

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Committee Studies What to Do With Orinda's Community Center Site

By JULIUS ROSENTHAL

In seven and a half acres of land back of Orinda School and stretching to the Orinda Community Church grounds, Orindans have a $21,000 investment.

The land is the Orinda Community Center site, purchased about seven years ago after a community-wide fund drive.

But there still are no building on the site. The Orinda Community Center is still an unworked-out project for the future. And every year the Orinda Association pays a total of some $500 for taxes and sewer assessments. The money comes from association dues and from profits made by the Orinda News, the organization's official monthly publication.

What to do with the land? What facilities are needed for a Community Center? How to organize and operate a Community Center?

These are questions with which a special committee of the Orinda Association is grappling. Appointed by the association board last fall to study the Community Center site problem, the committee consists of Kirk Miles, chairman; Robert Anthonisen and Robert Harrison.

"WE THINK IT'S desirable to use the property instead of having it lie idle," Miles said in a progress report for the committee, made at a recent board meeting.

"We have considered the problem from two main approaches — the facilities the land now needs for a Community Center, and how to organize and operate a Community Center."

The committee has conferred with Orinda Union Grammar School District and Acalanes Union High School District officials, leaders of Piedmont, Walnut Creek, Concord and Pleasant Hill community centers and the Oakland Boys Club, the Straw Hat Theater, Inc., and Miss Gladys Snyder ,state recreation specialist.

Miles reported that meetings with Hayward and Richmond community center leaders and Oakland recreation officials were also planned.

"ORIGINALLY, the idea of the Orinda Community Center envisioned tennis courts, a combined community center-clubhouse building and a theater," Miles said.

"In our recent talks with local grammar school and high school district officials the subject of what recreational facilities the school officials expect to have at new schools has been discussed. The Orinda High School is expected to be built by 1955. There would be no sense in duplicating what will be offered at the schools.

"We have also considered development of Orinda areas other than the Community Center site. For instance, south of the Crossroads some people feel the need for a community swimming pool.

"THE COMMITTEE," Miles pointed out, "has reached no definite plan as to buildings or construction. At present it leans toward the idea of a little theater, having a building that would take better care of the county library branch here and possibly other buildings which would take care of scouts and other groups."

Regarding possibility of a little theater structure, Miles disclosed:

"We have been approached by the Straw Hatters regarding construction of a building which would be leased to them for summer seasons. They'd like a building containing approximately 600 seats.

"WE'VE HAD A meeting with the Straw Hatters. Lafayette Town Hall, which they've been using in past summers and which they're not using this summer, is too small for them. They owned property near Rick's Drive Inn, but that property has been condemned by the state in connection with plans for the freeway.

"We think that such a little theater building might be a good thing. It would help pay for the Center, and during the rest of the year it could be used for local community events, such as larger public meetings and productions by the Orinda Dramateurs."

FOUR METHODS of operation of a Community Center were suggested by Miss Snyder, according to Miles. The state recreation specialist listed the following possibilities:

1. Operation by the Orinda Association.

"Under such a setup, there would be no means of a continuing source of income, such as taxes," Miles said. "We would have to have a fund drive and ask people to contribute money and make pledges."

2. Operation by the local school board.

"This was considered at one time," the committee chairman commented. "They are authorized to do so and could levy a tax 5 per cent over the school tax."

3. **FORMATION OF A** recreation district.

"There are two or three kinds of recreation districts," Miles observed.

He pointed out that a recreation district would be able to contract with other agencies for services. Maximum tax rate would depend on the type of district.

4. Making use of the Community Services District Law.

According to Miles, Miss Snyder explained that the Community Services District Law differs from Assembly Bill 1841, the "urban unincorporated" legislative proposal. Under the Community Services District Law a district may be established by petition, without an election, the committee head said.

A RECREATION DISTRICT would have certain definite advantages, Miles declared.

"For one thing, a recreation district can make contracts with other districts for facilities," he said.

"An example of this sort of cooperation is the agreement of the Acalanes High School District board for the high school district to share equally the cost of a swimming pool at Las Lomas High School if the Walnut Creek Recreation District pays half the cost.

"I've talked with Ralph Hall, high school district trustee from Orinda, and I think the high school district would probably be willing to make a similar agreement with an Orinda recreation district, in connection with construction of facilities such as a community swimming pool at the Orinda High School.

"FOR ANOTHER THING, a recreation district can levy taxes. That would provide a continuing source of income for the program.

"With a recreation district, we could operate something in Orinda besides just a program on the Community Center piece of property."

AN ARTIST'S SKETCH of a proposed Orinda Community Center would greatly stimulate community interest in the project, Miles said.

He suggested that after agreement is reached by Orinda Association directors an artist's sketch be made and a fund drive be conducted.

INCORPORATION of Orinda as a city might be preferable to "all these districts," Zach Montgomery, an association director, remarked.

"If Orinda were incorporated, it could do all these things," Miles stated.

"I'll go along with Zach on that idea," commented Director Frank Cayting. "Our community has grown tremendously, and I think we've got to decide on the question of incorporation some day."

MONTGOMERY ADDED: "If we can find a way to incorporate, we can establish our own recreation district. Also, such matters as police, roads and zoning would come under local control."

Association President Peter Veitch said he would try to have a speaker at the May 25 board meeting to discuss the subject of incorporation.

$100,000 Suit Over Cement

A $100,000 suit has been filed against an Oakland building supply firm by G. E. Simmons of Berkeley.

He charges in the suit that a wet-mix cement he purchased to lay a basement floor in a home he is constructing on Yomas Contadas in Orinda contained a caustic which caused severe and painful burns on both his legs.

The complaint states that the cement purchased last November 10 on the recommendation of the defendant firm caused burns of second and third degree and resulted in "wholesale sloughing of tissue," with long hospitalization and repeated skin grafting operations required.

Limitation of the use of the legs has resulted, the complaint states.

Fire Dept. Adds Drake Phone for Moraga Del Rey

Orinda fire protection was raised another big notch this week with installation at Fire Station No. 1 of a direct phone line for communication with Moraga Del Rey residents.

The new phone has the number DRake 6-4400. It was connected last Friday.

"The Moraga Del Rey Community Association approached us on the matter several weeks ago," President Gilbert Earle of the Orinda Fire Board said. "Because of the necessity of going through 'Operator' to get the fire department, the association felt there might be delay in case of fire.

"The fire district felt it was worth while to work out something with the telephone company.

"NOW ANY PERSON in the Orinda Fire District who is served by the Drake exchange can get the department by calling DRake 6-4400."

However, Earle stressed that there is only one such direct Drake line. "If the number is busy or there is no answer, the person should dial 'Operator' and call Orinda 6666," he said. "There are three lines of the Orinda number."

The new Drake number, installed for the convenience of residents of Moraga Del Rey Units 1 and 2, was described by the board president as "a temporary expediency," pending expansion of the Orinda telephone district with new dial exchange numbers.

THE PHONE COMPANY has announced that in May, 1954, it is planned to change all phones in the Orinda area to a "Clifford" exchange. Then all residents of the Orinda Fire District will be able to dial the fire department directly through that exchange.

Prior to the installation of the new Drake phone, the local fire commissioners had several meetings with phone company officials in Berkeley and the phone company obtained necessary permission from the California Public Utilities Commission.

Sign Will Halt Alley Trucks At Davis Corner

The intersection of Davis Alley and Davis Road was declared a boulevard by the County Board of Supervisors Tuesday.

A sign will be erected to stop trucks from entering Davis Road from Davis Alley.

Davis Alley is a narrow stretch running behind Casa Orinda and the Chevron Service Station at the Crossroads. It goes from Moraga Highway to Davis Road.

Rotarians Hear Don Doyle Speak

The Orinda Rotary Club heard Assemblyman Donald Doyle speak on the highway program in the legislature at its meeting Wednesday noon at the Orinda iWllows.

Doyle explained the Senate and Assembly bills and some of the gas tax legislature presently before committees in Sacramento.

Chairman for the day was George Eberhart.

Next week the Rotarians will see a film on heart diseases presented by Dr. Carl Smith, a member.

Did You Notice The Rain . . . ?

We found the weatherman in a brown study because nobody had asked him his opinion on what to do about the Orinda Community Center.

"I could provide good weather around the site all the time," he said, "but nobody cares what I think."

Before he could break down completely, we found out that the warmest day during May 7 and yesterday was Tuesday with a reading of 77 degrees and that Sunday and Monday were tied for a low with 35 degrees.

"There was .08 inches of rainfall too," said the weatherman, "and that is just a sample. People better watch out for me."

We figured that that brought the seasonal total to 29.99 inches.

Business Rezone Plan on Agenda Of Civic Affairs

Proposed rezoning from residential to retail business of five lots on the east side of Moraga Highway, between Southwood Drive and Overhill Road, will come up before the Orinda Association's Civic Affairs Committee Monday night, Ramsay Underwood, Civic Affairs vice-chairman, announced this week.

"The owners have requested Orinda Association approval of their proposal," Underwood said.

THE LOTS ARE Nos. 42, 43, 44, 45 and 46, in the Moraga Estates subdivision.

"Homes are on all the lots except the westerly portion of Lot 42, which is a vacant corner at Southwood Drive and Moraga Highway," Underwood stated.

ASKED WHAT the specific plans of the owners are, the Civic Affairs vice-chairman said he did not know.

Lots 42, 43, 45 and 46 front on Moraga Highway. Lot 44 fronts on Southwood Drive and is directly behind Lots 42 and 43.

The Civic Affairs Committee meeting will be held at Orinda School and will start at 8 o'clock.

Democrats Hear About McCarthy

The monthly membership meeting of the Orinda Democrats was held May 6 at the Orinda Community Church at 8 p.m.

Membership and program committees reported on current activities and plans. Chairman Tarp reported on a recent meeting of The Federation of Democratic Clubs of Contra Costa County.

At present there are 18 active Democratic Clubs in the county, most of which have been chartered with the Central Committee.

Certain members expressed an interest in attending as delegates to the Northern California Democratic Convention in Stockton on May 9 and 10.

Cyril Atkinson reported on a study made of the Senate Investigation of Senator McCarthy. Heavily documented with over 300 pages of photostats of letters, reports and statements, the investigation contained evidence of banking and investment transactions not in conformity with state and federal statutes, according to Atkinson.

Baldwin to Speak to GOP Women

John Baldwin, Republican county registration chairman, will speak at the last regular meeting of the Orinda Young Republicans May 27, at the Orinda Country Club.

Baldwin's topic will be "Where Do We Go From Here?" and he will stress the need for a concerted registration drive in preparation for next year's elections.

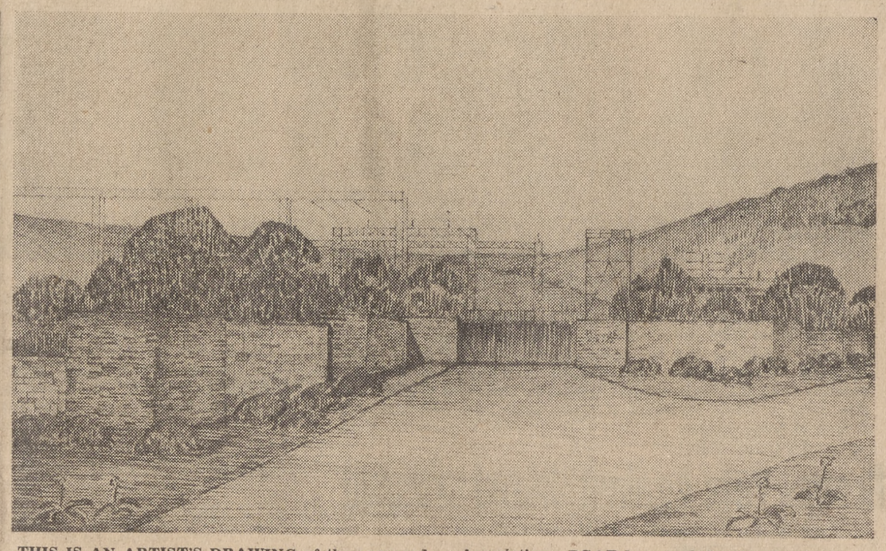
In addition George Hauerken, Republican County Central Committee member, will discuss the Pacific Gas and Electric power line controversy in Orinda.

"In presenting Baldwin and Hauerken at our meeting we are offering a program of both local and county wide interest and we anticipate some lively and informative discussion," Dusty Dustin, program chairman, stated.

Bill Platt and Hal Arnot joined in thanking members for their help in making the group's recent Spring Dance at Carroll Ranch a success.

Jim Moriarty, president, announced the appointment of Charles McCoy Jr. as new registration chairman.

The meeting will begin at 8 p.m.



THIS IS AN ARTIST'S DRAWING of the proposed beautification of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company's Moraga Substation. Plans for the landscaping have been worked out by joint meetings of PG&E and the Moraga Del Rey Community Association. PG&E has carried out extensive tests in the field of noise control. It expects to cut down objectionable noise with the landscaping, as well as to beautify the area.

Beautification of Moraga Del Rey PG&E Substation to Start June 1

Plans for the beautification of the Moraga Substation have been completed by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company and requests for bids have been released.

The actual landscaping will start June 1.

The Moraga Del Rey Community Association and the PG&E have been working together on the project. PG&E has made several surveys in the field of noise control and landscaping around the substation and sent the following memorandum to the Association:

"A screen effect is planned immediately behind the entrance walls. Italian Rock Pine, Canary Island Pine, and a few taller growing Deodars are to be planted. The Canary Island Pine is a low growing, spreading species of the Pine family.

"Low growing shrubs are to be planted in front of the walls on either side of the gate. Two Silver Oaks will be placed one on each side of the entrance for ornamental purposes. The Silver Oak changes in color with the season, having a light green color in the spring, a dark green in the summer and scarlet leaves in the fall.

"Live Oak trees will be placed on the hill behind the station. Canyon Oaks, Toyon bushes and Wild Lilacs will be planted in the draws. The Wild Lilac is a fast growing bush and acts as a shelter for the roots of the slower growing Oaks. An occasional Fir tree will be interspersed among the Oaks."

Among those submitting bids to PG&E for the landscaping work will be the Moraga Nursery and Orchard Nursery.

The Lost Valley Association submitted a set of drawings for the treatment of the entrance of the plant. Mario Alvo persuaded a visiting friend, Dan Canning to make the drawings.

Henley Worthington, C. R. Machen and Earl T. Meldrin of PG&E accepted and enlarged the drawings to arrive at the final plans for beautification.

Acceptance of the plans was accomplished at a meeting of the representatives of PG&E and the new board of directors of the Moraga Del Rey Association in February.

Directors present were Bud Erickson, Bob Bronsen, Joe Donham, Fred Pickett, Lee Schwartz, Art Schwing, Bill Hanley, Barney Galvin, Ernie Rahmeyer, Harold Rote and Bill Faisst.

Rotary Club Field Day for Orinda School Kids To Be Held Tomorrow

The Rotary Club Field Day will start tomorrow morning at 9:30 a.m. promptly at the Orinda School and it will be a busy place indeed.

School children from all three Orinda schools and from the fourth through eighth grades inclusive will be competing in track and field events in this third meet sponsored by the Orinda Rotary Club.

The meet will last from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and will be managed by Frank Shirey, Rotary Chairman of the affair. Frank Isola, physical education director of the Orinda School District will actively manage the events and Rotarians will act as judges, assisted by parents whenever necessary.

Such events as potato races, relay races, broad jump, dash events, basketball and general track and field events will be the schedule for the day. The Mother's Club will serve hot dogs, ice cream and soda pop to help tired competitors regain their energy.

Youngsters will compete within their grade, that is, fourth graders will be matched against fourth graders, etc. and a high point boy and girl will be the eventual winners of the meet.

The high point winners can come from any grade. In 1951 Donna Jamison was the high point girl and John Conley was high point boy. Last year it was Susan Schwatka and Bill Davis.

The high point winners will have their names inscribed on a plaque which is on exhibit at the school. In addition, for the first time this year, a trophy has been put up by Rotarian Herb Hauser. It will be a perpetual trophy which will go to the class room which gets the most total points from its students participating.

Rotarians pointed out that last year about ninety per cent of the school children participated in the meet.

They also said that if it should rain tomorrow the meet will be automatically postponed until next week.

Hostesses Needed For USO Center

An Editorial

Central Contra Costa County, noted for its hospitality to servicemen, will soon have another opportunity to make members of the armed forces feel at home.

The USO will open a Servicemen's Unit at the Walnut Creek Recreation Center May 24, 1 p.m., for entertainment of servicmen at Bay Area military installations.

Much of the necessary organizational work has been done by a committee headed by Mrs. Donn Court of Lafayette—but the need now is for women to staff the Servicemen's Center as hostesses and chaperones.

They are needed for the Sunday afternoon parties being planned at the Center.

We hope there will be a large turnout of hostesses and chaperones. Unless the women of this area rally to support of the USO Center, all the good planning will prove fruitless.

Girls 17 or over who want to sign up a hostesses are urged to phone Mrs. Court at Lafayette 2762.

More mature women can register as chaperones any afternoon at the Center.

Women whose sons, brothers, sweethearts or husbands are in the service do not have to be told how important is that touch of home for a serviceman far from home.

Here is an opportunity for patriotism in one of its most important aspects—making Uncle Sam's boys feel really at home while they're stationed in this area.

Formal Opening Of Diablo USO Scheduled May 24

Formal opening of the Diablo Area USO will be held at 1 p. m. May 24 at the Walnut Creek Recreation Center in the City Park.

There will be entertainment and refreshments for the public.

Purpose of the USO is to provide regular Sunday afternoon recreation in Central Contra Costa County for servicemen from all Bay Area installations. More hostesses are needed and all girls 17 years of age or over are invited to report to the Center at 1 o'clock May 24 or call Mrs. Donn Court at Lafayette 2762.

Directors of the USO are Mr. and Mrs. Dalton C. Wright from the Salvation Army which is sponsoring the Center; Harold E. Davis and Lymand Stoddard Jr. of Walnut Creek.

Committee members include Mrs. Donn Court of Lafayette, Mrs. Ruth Wallis, Mrs. J. B. Phillips and Norma L. Warren of Walnut Creek, Mrs. J. D. Doherty of Concord and Mrs. Duane Nuenschwander of Orinda.

Hostesses include Lee Ann Court, captain, and Marilyn David, lieutenant of Squadron A; Diane Bray, captain, and Judy Rugh, lieutenant of Squadron B, and Dorothy Turner, captain, and Joan Tracy, lieutenant of Squadron C.

Three Groups to Join in Campaign Against Trucks

Cooperation of the Orinda Association and the Lafayette Improvement Association on the problem of heavy trucks on Mt. Diablo Boulevard during peak commute hours received new impetus this week with announcement that the Diablo Highway Improvement Federation is concerned over the matter.

The subject was one of the highlights of the public meeting of the Lafayette Improvement Association Wednesday night at Lafayette Town Hall.

Secretary Ray Crist read a letter of support from Chairman Frank R. Hart of the Orinda Association's Civic Affairs Committee, who wrote that the Orinda Board is expected to act favorably May 25 on a recommendation of cooperation with the Lafayette group.

"Our campaign has evidently had effect," Crist observed. "Nevis, Stapel and Circle trucks have not been seen on the highway in peak hours recently. Of 11 trucking companies, 10 are cooperating — but Seaboard is not. We plan to renew our efforts with Seaboard officers."

Swim Schedules Announced by Red Cross chapter

The 1953 swim program, sponsored by Mt. Diablo Chapter of the American Red Cross, was announced this week.

Scheduled for Lafayette School District: June 23 to July 3.

Orinda School District, Pleasant Hill District, south of Boyd Road and east of Pleasant Hill Road: July 28 to August 28.

Walnut Creek School District: July 7 to July 18.

Danville School District, Alamo School District, San Ramon School District and if any room, from any district within chapter area: August 11 to August 22.

LESSON SCHEDULES are as follows:

Life Savers: 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Intermediate boys and girls: junior, 10:30 to 11 a.m.; senior, 11 to 11:30 a.m.

Swimmers: boys and girls, 11:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.; adults, 11:50 a.m. to 12:40 p.m.

Beginners: boys A to K, 9:30 to 10 a.m.; girls A to K, 10 to 10:30 a.m.; boys L to Z, 10:30 to 10:50 a.m.; girls L to Z, 10:50 to 11:10 a.m.

Non-swimmers: boys 11:10 to 11:30 a.m.; girls, 11:30 to 11:50 a.m.

CHILDREN MUST BE four feet tall and in second grade to attend swim sessions. They are to attend the session listed for their schools or the fourth session which is open to all schools.

Adults and members of life saving classes may attend any or all sessions.

Sheriff's Office Rates 'Hats Off' On Parking Check

This may surprise some readers, especially Sheriff James Long, but The SUN this week says "Hats off to the sheriff's office!"

Reason for this doffing of our chapeau is the efficient job being done in this area in checking parking violations.

Lack of such enforcement in the past has been the cause of complaints by residents and organizations.

The SUN is able to report firsthand on the thoroughness of the crackdown on parking violators. Editor Herman Silverman recently received two parking tickets.

So there's good reason for a hats-off salute to the sheriff's office for its good work in nabbing parking violators.

Five Groups Kill United Crusade Plan

By BILL STANTON

Central Contra Costa County will not join the East Bay United Crusade this year.

This was decided at a meeting of representatives of fund-raising organizations and civic groups of Walnut Creek, Lafayette, Orinda and the San Ramon Valley in the library of Las Lomas High School Tuesday night.

FIVE FUND ORGANIZATIONS stated opposition and two organizations backed joining the crusade in a survey made by the chairman.

Opposed were the Girl Scouts, Crippled Childrens' Society, Salvation Army for Walnut Creek, Mt. Diablo Therapy Center and the Mt. Diablo Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Those in favor of joining were the Young Men's Christian Association and the Boy Scouts.

Al G. Wardley, campaign director for the crusade, said the crusade would not be interested in the area unless it gave 100 per cent backing.

IF THE PLAN had been accepted, most major fund drives would have been combined into one fall campaign.

Wardley pointed out in previous meetings that many local commuters donated to the Crusade last year at their place of employment, and there was no way for money to be returned to the area unless it affiliated with the crusade.

Two previous public meetings had been held. The first was held at Stan's Brick House March 31.

The second was held at Las Lomas High School April 28 to further explain the crusade. At this meeting those present formed an informal committee to proceed with tenta-

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Orinda Children Celebrate May

May is traditionally the time for children to get out and do a little dancing and Orinda children are no exception.

The occasion was provided this week by the May Dance Festival held at the Orinda schools. There was a festival at Sleepy Hollow School Tuesday, Orinda School Wednesday and Glorietta School yesterday.

ACCORDING TO Frank Isola, physical education director for the district, the festivals are presented like this.

A king and queen are chosen from the kindergarten class of each school, complete with a court. They preside over the festival which is entirely dancing and singing.

Each class does a dance, some rhythmic dances, some circle dances and even square dances for the upper grades.

BERNARD BLOOM, eighth grade teacher at Orinda School calls the square dances.

"We had quite a finale this year," said Isola. "The whole school (each school on its day) en masse circles around a May Pole and does the 'Hokey Pokey.'

"The kindergarteners circle around the center and the other classes circle in rings around them," he continued. "And all the kids are singing while they do it . . . it's real cute."

"MOST OF the teachers made an effort to dress their youngsters with crepe paper costumes and so forth," he added, "and the parents really flock out to see the show.

"And you know," he added, "it's lots of work. I've been working on it in dancing classes and physical education classes for about two months."

Fire District For School OK'd

The County Boundary Commission on Tuesday approved the proposed withdrawal of the Moraga Del Rey School property from the Eastern Contra Costa County Fire Protection District and its proposed annexation to the Orinda County Fire District.

The matter was referred to the county assessors' office. It will probably come up before the Board of Supervisors next Tuesday for final action, according to Miss Mary A. Smith, deputy county clerk.

Petition for the withdrawal and annexation was signed by the Orinda School District trustees, Miss Smith said.

Lions Induct New Member

The Orinda Lions awarded Rudy Rassmussen a golf trophy at their meeting Wednesday night at the Orinda Roost.

He was recognized champion of the tournament held recently at the Orinda Country Club.

Jim Hull, a new member, was inducted by Jerry McKinley. He was sponsored by Rawlings Simon.

Joe Navone was awarded a key by Lions International for his long and faithful membership.

Tommy Snow is sponsoring a trip by a group of Lions and their wives tonight. They will leave by chartered bus for Sacramento where they will attend the Oaks-Senators ball game and then return to Orinda.

Commuters Study Bus Problems and Orinda Overpass

Commuter problems related to the construction of the Orinda overpass and relocation of the Orinda bus loading shelter were discussed at the monthly meeting of the Contra Costa County Commuters Association Tuesday evening at Acalanes High School.

Frank Hart, chairman of the Civic Affairs Committee of the Orinda Association, pointed out that no provision has yet been made in the highway construction plans for loading and discharging bus passengers at Orinda when the new freeway is constructed.

HE ILLUSTRATED the various problems on a large map of the project, which is scheduled to begin late this summer or in early fall, and answered a number of questions put to him by the commuters.

Ramsay Underwood, vice-chairman of the Orinda Association's Civic Affairs Committee, who had also been invited to appear, was unable to attend.

Charles Wood of Orinda reported on the contacts and discussions he has had with Greyhound and others as a member of the joint Commuter-Orinda Association committee for the relocation of the Orinda bus shelter.

RESIGNATIONS of Directors John MacLean of Lafayette and Edward L. "Ned" Smith of Orinda were announced, the former having moved to Oregon and the latter unable to continue due to the press of other affairs.

Mrs. Gladys DeLeshe of Orinda was elected to fill one of the vacancies.

Vice-President Del Armstrong, presiding in the absence of President Dudley Thickens, stated that he felt it desirable that the two remaining director-vacancies be filled from among the ranks of the Oakland commuters, and appointed Len Davis of Orinda and G. E. Nichols of Pleasant Hill to submit the names of prospective directors at the June meeting.

John E. McKirahan gave a full report on the negotiations resulting in addition of a morning and evening schedule to and from Walut Creek and San Francisco beginning May 6.

HE POINTED OUT that this had finally been done by Greyhound, despite its promise to the contrary, at the expense of deleting a bus from the Oakland run, causing serious pileups ond long waiting lines at 20th and Telegraph in Oakland during the early evening peak loading period.

He stated that steps were being taken immediately to relieve the Oakland situation.

He reported that congestion on the earlier schedules passing through Orinda between 7 and 7:30 a. m. had been greatly relieved by the new San Francisco schedule, which also reduced the waiting time and cutting down the long line at Folsom and Essex Streets in San Francisco in the evening.

HOWEVER, LATER RUNS passing through Orinda after 8 a. m. are still greatly overloaded, according to McKirahan, resulting in many passengers having to wait an hour for another bus, reaching their places of work in San Francisco around 10:15 instead of 9 a. m.

He stated that this latter condition resulted from Greyhound's realignment of one schedule to originate at Lafayette instead of Walnut Creek, causing overloading on the remaining buses.

Harold Jackens, representing the Pleasant Hill area, stated that Greyhound's recent return of the Martinez-Pleasant Hill bus to a departure time 10 minutes later in the morning had made it practically a "lost cause," with the result that many of the Pleasant Hill riders who formerly patronized this bus are being forced to turn to the use of their private cars for transportation to and from San Francisco and the East Bay.

GREYHOUND has also returned the Danville bus to its former departure time of 10 minutes later, according to McKirahan, leading the Commuters Association to believe the company is conducting a concerted drive to make things as unpleasant as possible for those who depend upon it for public transportation to and from this area.

He closed by stating that the association is painfully aware of the whole situation and is taking definite steps to work out a satisfactory solution, the exact details of which he said he was not in a position to make public at this time.

ROBERT SLAUSON, blind Acalanes High School graduate, returned to the school recently to address a student assembly. With him was his guide dog, Lona. Robert told of the training he and Lona had received at the Guide Dogs for the Blind school at San Rafael. On the speakers' platform, left to right, are Acalanes Principal Stanley Walgren, Vice-President Rick Johnson of the Student Body, Bob Slauson and Lona, Trainer Larry Rees from the guide dog school and Mrs. John A. Bohn, chairman of Guide Dogs fund activities in this section of the county. —SUN photo by Mattson

LOADING UP for the barbecue, one of the social events at the Concord-Mt. Diablo Trail Ride Association's Hunter Trials, Olympic Events and Polo tomorrow and Sunday are, left to right, Mrs. Carl Pedersen of the Orinda Tanagers, Mrs. Richard Nourse of the Concord Robins, Richard Humphries of the Trail Ride Association, at the ol' wood pile, and Mrs. W. J. Gilman of the Orinda Orioles. The Mt. Diablo Therapy Center is co-sponsoring the show, nine Center auxiliaries are active in the preparations. Mrs. Gilman is barbecue chairman, assisted by an Oriole committee.

Groups Vote Against United Crusade

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tive joining of the crusade.

A vote taken at the time showed overwhelming support of joining the crusade. Girl Scout representatives made the only expressed opposition.

DUNCAN KNUDSEN of Lafayette opened Tuesday's meeting explaining that Peter Howard of Walnut Creek would be late. Howard had headed previous meetings.

As soon as the meeting opened, Mrs. Leonard Ford, president of the local Girl Scout board moved that the meeting take no action on joining the crusade until authorized members of local fund raising units had met in "closed session."

The motion was seconded by Mrs. J. H. Brubaker representing the Crippled Children's Society and the Salvation Army.

SEVERAL PEOPLE questioned Mrs. Ford about what she meant by a closed session. Mrs. Ford said she intended to have a meeting of local people without representative of the East Bay United Crusade present.

A Walnut Creek resident said he felt it would be a good idea to have such a meeting with no "promoters" present to "ramrod" action.

Russ Graf, a Boy Scout representative, said there would be no point in a closed meeting, since affiliating with the United Crusade would have to be a voluntary measure.

The motion was defeated. A citizen asked who had a right to vote and the chair ruled that anyone present did. A second vote was taken and the motion was defeated again, 14-12.

DURING THE discussion of the motion, John Laverty, a Girl Scout representative, said there was no need for any rush in joining the crusade. He said Wardley had told him the first campaign publicity would not be sent out until April 15.

He also pointed out that the crusade had an 11 per cent overhead and asked, "Why should we pay you, when we do all the work and alone we had only a one per cent overhead."

Wardley answered the first question saying that the crusade was now preparing reports to be sent to eastern firms asking for donations. Using the example of General Motors, he said that we must tell them how many organizations we represent and the population of the area, so that they can now budget their fall contribution.

Edmund Barnett, Walnut Creek attorney who heads the boards of both the Mt. Diablo Therapy Center and Mt. Diablo Chapter of the American Red Cross, explained the unwillingness of these organizations to join the crusade for this year.

THE THERAPY Center is absolutely local in nature, he said, and board members fear the organization would lose its identity.

The Red Cross refusal was explained on the grounds that they were committed by their national charter to conduct a spring drive and that they too feared loss of identity. He also pointed out that Red Cross drives have always been successful.

He said the vote of the boards had been unanimous in both cases and that the pros and cons had been thoroughly discussed. He emphasized that the refusals applied to joining this year.

AFTER THE meeting Barnett explained to The SUN why loss of identity was important to the boards. He said that in their fund drives organizations also acquaint the public with their program. He also indicated that a yearly drive made organizations realize their responsibilities to the public.

Speaking for the United Crusade, John McFarland of Orinda said that without it the campaign workers would get "worked to death." With so many drives "business men would get fed up," with repeated requests, he added.

People will dodge all drives by telling each collector that he contributes elsewhere, he concluded.

A motion was made that the area join the drive. It passed 16-6, with several people not voting.

Peter Howard, who had taken the chair, said the motion would have no real power without organization support, and would only serve as an indication of opinions of individuals at the meeting.

After it was apparent joining the crusade had failed, several citizens complained that no thought was being given the donor. One person suggested that it would have helped bring the Central Contra Costa area together as a community.

Russ Graf asked, "What will the donors think when the press reports that we have turned the crusade down?"

Varied Program To Be Offered At Horse Show

Tommorow and Sunday are big days for equestrians and the Mt. Diablo Therapy Center.

The Fifth Annual Spring Hunter Trials, Olympic Games and Polo of the Concord-Mt. Diablo Trail Ride Association will be held both days at the association's show grounds on Pacheco Road at the north edge of Concord.

THE THERAPY CENTER is co-sponsoring this year's events and will share in the proceeds. Nine auxiliary units of the Center have been active in preparations and in selling of tickets.

The Trail Ride grounds are about three miles from the Monument, via Pacheco Road.

Following is the program of events:

SATURDAY, MAY 16 — Show officially opens at 1 p.m.

10 a.m.:

1. Olympic Games training event —Individual competition.
2. Olympic Games training event —Team competition.
3. Open working hunters.
4. Open conformation hunters.
5. Open jumpers.
6. Olympic 3-day event, juniors only.
7. Stanford vs. San Francisco All-Stars — Polo.

5:30 to 8 p.m. — Beef barbecue - Cocktails - Dancing. At show grounds. Families with children served first. Adults, $2.75. Children under 10, $1.50.

SUNDAY, MAY 17:

8 to 11 a.m. — Hunt Breakfast — at show grounds. Adults, $1.75; children, $1.

10 a.m. — Olympic dressage.

1. Olympic Games training event —Individual competition.
2. Olympic Games training event —Team competition.
3. Three-day Olympic games, juniors only, 17 years and under.
4. Conformation hunter stake.
5. Green working hunters.
6. Children's hunters, 17 years and under.
7. Polo — Stanford vs. S. F. All-Stars.
8. Hunter championship.
9. Jumper championship.
10. Hurry Scurry.
11. Presentation of trophies.

Admission to the show ring and concourse may be paid at the gate on either or both days.

IN THE PAST four years this annual event has gained status as one of the west's major events, received international recognition by meeting standards for Olympic Games equestrian trials and produced an almost certain candidate for the United States 1956 Olympic equestrian team.

She is "our own" Sandra Logue of Walnut Creek, who stole the show last year. Sandra will return this year in an attempt to repeat or better the 1952 record.

MANY COCKTAIL parties, buffet suppers and dinners are being planned by local hostesses this weekend.

In Walnut Creek the William McGuires will entertain at a buffet luncheon tomorrow. Mr. and Mrs. John Atheson will have dinner guests tomorrow evening, and Sunday night the Irving Kraemers will entertain Pebble Beach friends at cocktails. Their weekend guests will be the James Glazers and Richard Collins'.

Vote at School Elections Today

School trustee elections will be held today throughout this area.

Only four of the trustee elections, however ,are contests. They are for Contra Costa Junior College District, Acalanes High School District, Mt. Diablo Unified School District and Lafayette School District boards.

IN ADDITION, two elementary school districts in the area will have bond elections today.

Lafayette District voters will mark their ballots for or against a proposed bond issue of $200,000, a state aid loan of $354,000 under the old state aid program, and a new state aid loan of up to $1,400,000. (Last week The Lafayette SUN recommended a "Yes" vote for this $1,954,000 construction fund program.)

Walnut Creek School District voters will decide on a proposed $400,000 bond issue and on authorization of the district to borrow $2,500,000 from the state.

Each of the fund proposals requires a two-thirds majority for passage.

TRUSTEE CONTESTS ARE:

Contra Costa Junior College District — One position open. Incumbent Fred R. Abbott seeks reelection. He is opposed by John Scaglione and Elvo Travalini.

Acalanes High School District — Two openings. M. H. Stanley and Ralph C. Hall, incumbents, and Mary Elizabeth Knobel are running.

Lafayette School District — One opening. C. B. Neuman Jr., incumbent, and Theodore E. Newman are running.

Mt. Diablo Unified School District — Two openings. Arnold C. Bjork and Ethel A. Wiget, incumbents, and Ernest B. McQuarrie are running.

Red Cross chapter Meeting June 1

Mt., Diablo Chapter, American National Red Cross, will hold its annual meeting in the chapter house at 1395 Ygnacio Avenue in Walnut Creek Monday, June 1, at 3 p.m.

Any person who has contributed one dollar or more to the 1952 Fund Drive is a member and is invited to attend the meeting.

Highway Group To Discuss Freeway Plans

The Diablo Highway Federation will hold a board meeting at the home of Chairman Elliott J. Hartman, 18 Hidden Valley Road, Lafayette, Tuesday at 8 p.m.

The federation will discuss the proposed freeway connecting the Orinda Overpass and the Lafayette bypass. All representatives of improvement associations and individuals who are affected by this route are invited to attend.

The board will forward its opinion and recommendations, if any, to the county board of supervisors after the meeting.

The section of freeway to be discussed is the proposed six lane divided highway which will extend from a point four-tenths of a mile east of the Orinda Crossroads to two-tenths of a mile west of Hidden Valley Road.

Plans for the freeway were submitted to the county board of supervisors last week and the supervisors, through County Road Commissioner Victor W. Sauer, forwarded the plans to the highway federation for its comments before taking any action.

The federation board will also discuss legislation pending before the state legislature in regard to gas tax increases and decide whether further representation at the hearings will be valuable.

Plans will be made for the next general meeting which will be held within the next few weeks, according to Hartman.

Bonus Votes to Help Win Circulation Prizes

Members of The SUN's Circulation Club will receive a bonus of 50,000 votes for each group of five subscriptions turned in by them between Wednesday of this week and 5:30 p. m. next Tuesday.

Standings in the $3000 Circulation Club Contest as of 5:30 p. m. last Tuesday are:

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Mrs. Kenneth Swift	52,500
Miss Carole Holabird	49,000
Miss Jane Haworth	43,500
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Blake Berven	168,500
Mrs. Elaine MacPhail	166,500
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Mrs. A. L. McClure	40,500
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Mrs. Les Wandel	37,500
MEADOW LANE	
Mrs. Maxine Esslinger	26,500

THE BONUS VOTES now being offered will be in addition to the extra votes awarded on amounts of subscriptions turned in weekly. This bonus offer will close next Tuesday, so candidates should get subscriptions in this week.

Bonus votes help to win, so club members should not overlook them.

ONE GROUP of five subscriptions will count 50,000 bonus votes, two groups will count 100,000 bonus, three groups will count 150,000 bonus, four groups will count 200,000 bonus votes, and so on.

Club members should cash their promises this week, or by next Tuesday at the latest!

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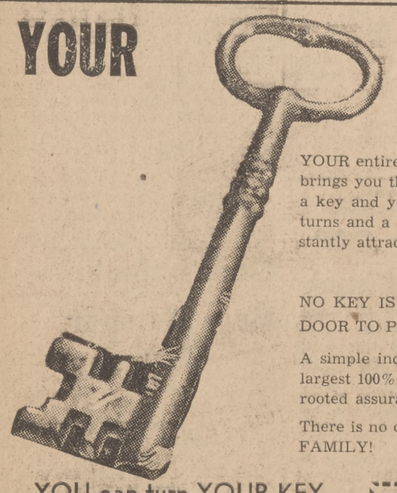

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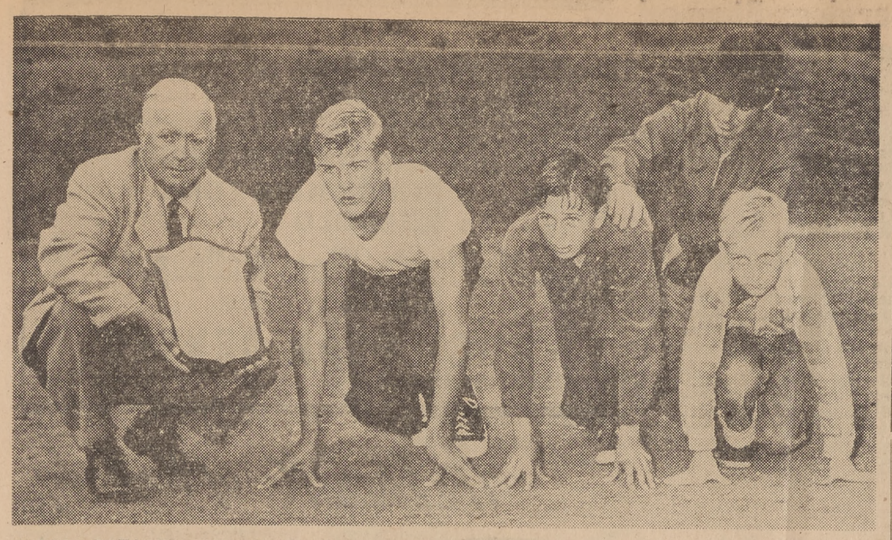

ORINDA ROTARY'S ANNUAL Field Day for boys and girls of Orinda will be held tomorrow at the Orinda School grounds. Getting into proper spirit for the occasion are, left to right, Rotary President Leighton MacGregor, holding the perpetual plaque on which names of the top-point boy and girl are inscribed each year; Val Geisler, Chuck MacQuiddy, Frank Isola, physical education director for the Orinda School District, and Denny Sheets. (If it rains, the Field Day will automatically be postponed to the following Saturday.)

—Photo by Mattson

Orinda Boys Come Out First in Crockett Track and Field Meet

Orinda entered the high point team in the First Crockett Invitational Track and Field Meet May 5.

The track and field events are designed for grammar school boys and are divided into classifications according to age, height and weight.

Ted Boyce, Frank Isola and Everett McNicholas accompanied the 49 boys who participated. The boys came home with 15 medals and 47 ribbons.

A roundup, according to Joseph Sheaff, superintendent of Schools, gave Orinda 15 first places, 4 second places, 7 third places, 14 fourth places and 7 fifth places. A total of 137 points was scored to make Orinda high point team.

Here is a break-down of the events and the winners, according to classes A through H.

50 yard dash, class A — Dennis Sheets, first; Ricky Lane, fourth and Richard Babcock, fifth.

Class B — Jud Carter, first; Alan Dahlstrand, third and Joe Moore, fourth.

Class C — Doug Moorehead, third and Jeff Neighbors, fourth.

Class D — Dixon Fariner, first and Gary Lucas, third.

75 yard dash, Class E — Bob Hudson, fifth.

Class F — Harold Ecklund, first and George Cory, third.

Class H — Gary Avel, first; Larry Pilcher, third and Dennis Hill, fourth.

Potato Race: Class A, Dennis Sheets, first; Class B, Mario Guarnieri, fourth: Class C, Mike Bacon, first; Class D, Brad Olsen, first; Class E, Phil Nuffler, fourth; Class F, Bob Hudson, first; Class G, Harold Ecklund, first and Class H. Larry Pilcher, first.

Broad Jump: Class F, Bob Hudson, fifth; Class G, George Cory, second and Harold Ecklund, third; Class H, Gary Avel, second.

Softball Throw, Accuracy, Class C, Gordy Hightower, fifth; Class D, Dave Pail, second and Milton Howe, third.

Baseball Throw, Distance — John Phair, fourth.

Football Kick, Distance, Class D, Rob Anthonisen, fourth; Class F, Steve De Maria, first and Gary Lucas, fifth.

200 yard Medley Relay: First place, Dennis Sheets, Jud Carter, Bill Houston, Dixon Farmer.

300 yard Medley Relay: Fourth Place, Bob Hudson, Ron Brown, George Cory, Larry Pilcher.

These were the high point men from Orinda.

Dennis Sheets, 14 points, fifth grade; Harold Ecklund, 13 points, eighth grade; Gary Arel, 11 points, eighth grade; George Cory, 11 points, seventh grade; Larry Pilcher, 10 points, eighth grade; Jud Carter, 10 points, fifth grade and Dixon Farmer, 10 points, sixth grade.

STORK CLUB

JAMES MITCHELL JR.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell of Irvine Drive welcomed little Jimmy Jr. into their new home on April 23. Jimmy Jr. was born at Kaiser Foundation Hospital in Oakland end weighed 8 pounds, 2 ounces at birth. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Clark of Montclair. The Wolfe Mitchells of San Francisco are the paternal grandparents. Jimmy Jr. is the James Mitchells' first child.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FRIDAY, MAY 15

School trustees election; polling place, Orinda School, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Hill and Dale party, Orinda Country Club, evening.

"Musance," annual spring show by Acalanes band, mixed chorus and modern dance group, Acalanes High School auditorium, 8 p.m.

SATURDAY, MAY 16

Cadets of Mt. Diablo Civil Air Patrol, Buchanan Field, 2 to 5 p. m.

Orinda Nursery School spring dance, Diablo Country Club, dinner 9 p.m.

"Tom Sawyer," East Bay Children's Theater play, Acalanes High School, 2 p.m.

Orinda Rotary Club Field Day for school children, Orinda School grounds, 9:30 a.m.

Daphne Branch, Children's Hospital of the East Bay, fashion show, home of H. W. Powell, 4139 Los Arabis Drive, Lafayette, 1 p.m.

Concord-Mt. Diablo Trail Ride Association, Annual Spring Hunter Trials, Olympic Events and Polo, Concord.

Diablo Weavers, meet at Orinda Crossroads for trip to Vallejo conference, 9:30 a.m.

SUNDAY ,MAY 17

Attend the church of your choice.

Concord-Mt. Diablo Trail Ride Association, Annual Spring Hunter Trials, Olympic Events and Polo, Concord.

MONDAY, MAY 18

Contra Costa Realtors Mart breakfast, El Nido, 8 a.m.

Boy Scout Troop 200, Scout Hut, 7:30 p.m.

Orinda Lodge 704, F&AM, Orinda Community Church, evening.

Acalanes Parents Club, cafeteria, Acalanes High School, 8 p.m.

Orinda Association, Civic Affairs Committee, Orinda School, 8 p.m.

TUESDAY, MAY 19

Boy Scout Troop 207, Scout Hpt, 7:30 p.m.

Orinda Mothers Club, Orinda School auditorium, 1 p.m.

U. S. Naval Reserve Volunteer Composite Company 12-25, Acalanes High School, 7:30 p.m.

Orinda Chamber of Commerce, Casa Orinda, noon.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20

Orinda Rotary Club, Willows, noon.

Civil defense training officers' conference, Western Technical Training School, St. Mary's College, Moraga.

League of Jewish Women, Walnut Creek Women's Club, Lincoln Avenue, Walnut Creek, 1 p.m.

THURSDAY, MAY 21

Mt. Diablo Squadron, Civil Air Patrol, Buchanan iFeld, 8 p.m.

Civil defense training officers' conference, Western Technical Training School, St. Mary's College, Moraga.

Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, special meeting with Citizens Advisory Committee, 1822 Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Walnut Creek, 7:30 p.m.

Orinda Home Tour, Women's Architectural League of the East Bay.

FRIDAY, MAY 22

Clipper Club, home of DeLoss and Evangeline Winkler, 133 Lombardy Lane, 8 p.m.

Civil defense training officers' conference, Western Technical Training School, St. Mary's College, Moraga.

"Tartuffe," LeFevre Memorial Theater, St. Marys' College, Moraga, 8 p.m.

Shop at home—and save.

Seafarers Cruise to Port of Lance Barden

The Seafarers had their 72nd cruise last Friday night, when they went to the Lance Barden port, the new home on Crest View Drive.

Dessert was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. G. Chester Brown. During the business meeting Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Gable were voted in as new members.

In addition to enjoying the magnificent views from the Bardens' large windows, and the friendly chats with congenial friends, the Seafarers were treated to a beautiful film accompanied by appropriate classical music entitled "Sierra Adventure" which showed last summer's vacation of Fred Morrow and family and Ewart Phair and family spent in the high Sierra on the less known but spectacular eastern side of the range.

Visit in Exeter

Mr. and Ms. John Wasson and Susan spent last weekend visiting Mrs. Wasson's parents in Exeter.

Guild to Give June Luncheon

The Women's Guild of the Orinda Community Church is making plans for the Annual June Luncheon to be held in the Fellowship Hall June 2.

Chairman Mrs. Elbert Wayne has divulged that in addition to a tasty luncheon the guests will be entertained with a fashion show for both grown-ups and teens-and-tots.

Ticket reservations may be made through Mrs. Arthur Henry, Orinda 2852.

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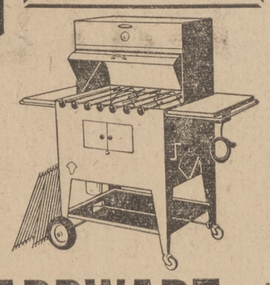
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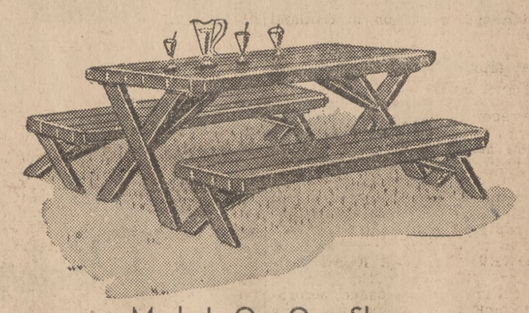
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Orinda-Lafayette Freeway Pact Goes To County Board

State plans for the proposed freeway between Orinda and Lafayette were turned over to the County Board of Supervisors Tuesday by County Road Commissioner Victor W. Sauer.

The board took no action but took the map and the suggested freeway agreement under advisement.

Sauer explained that he wanted the board to have ample opportunity to consider the matter.

DISTRICT IV state highway engineers propose a 1.4-mile six-lane freeway, following the line of the present highway. It will extend from a point four-tenths of a mile east of Orinda Crossroads to two-tenths of a mile west of Hidden Valley Road.

Date of construction would depend on availability of funds.

THE SUPERVISORS on Tuesday received from the State Division of Highways a revised draft of the drawing for the Lafayette Freeway, which will extend from a point two-tenths of a mile west of Acalanes Road to a point three-tenths of a mile east of the Pleasant Hill Road intersection.

The change will provide the Hidden Valley area with egress via a connection between Hidden Valley Road and Acalanes Road.

This was suggested by the Acalanes Valley Improvement Association.

The new detail in the Lafayette Freeway plan replaces a former proposal for extension of Marianne Drive to connect with Diablo Circle.

Conformity To Be Sermon Topic

Sunday will be Victory Sunday at the Lafayette Community Methodist Church at 955 Moraga Road.

John Cutler, chairman of the finance committee, will give his report on the Every Member Canvass that has taken place during this week. He will give a complete report at both the 8:30 and the 11 a.m. services.

The sermon will deal with the present pressure that is being exerted in our life to conform. On the national level we have various committees that try and keep one in a special conformity, according to Rev. Harry E. Shaner and Bishop George A. Miller. If one criticizes the methods of McCarthy or the like and that criticism is taken up by the press, then the committee finds some way to get the one who criticizes before it for a work out, they said.

The sermon will deal with the way Jesus was the recipient of many of the same pressures to conformity that we have today. What did he do? The sermon is called: "Conform or Else!"

Second Milers Plan Social Meet

The Second Milers of the Lafayette Community Church will meet May 22 at 8 p.m. in the church social hall.

After the business meeting there will be folk dancing under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Pope.

There will be table games for those who do not care to dance.

Legion Women To Sell Poppies Next Weekend

Five thousand memorial poppies have been received by the Lafayette Unit of the American Legion Auxiliary for distribution in the area next weekend.

On Friday morning Auxiliary members will be on the streets bright and early urging the people of Lafayette to wear one of the veteran-made replicas of the Flanders poppy "in memory of the dead, and to aid the living." All contributions received during Poppy Days are used to aid disabled veterans and their needy children.

Poppy wreaths were completed this week for presentation to the Legion Post for its cemetery rites. The unit will participate in the annual Memorial Day service in Lafayette Veterans Memorial Building on Memorial Day.

A nominating committee was elected at the last meeting of the Auxiliary, including Mesdames Alice Keen, Frank Buchanan, Manuel Lucas, Chester Howard and Earl Gustafson. A panel of officer candidates for the new term will be presented by the committee at the unit's regular meeting June 3. Further nominations will be received and election held on July 1. Delegates to the annual state convention will also be elected at that time.

Initiation of new members has been scheduled for the next meeting of the group Wednesday evening, with the ninth district ritual team in charge of ceremonies.

Unit members of the ninth district will meet tonight at 8:15 in Port Chicago for their regular bimonthly business meeting. Mrs. Dorothy Schmidt, junior activities chairman, and Mrs. Frieda Brown, poppy chairman, will be guest speakers from the state organization.

4-H Club Will Meet Sunday

Sunday the 4-H agricultural and home economics group will hold its first annual family picnic at the Will Hall residence, 1363 Reliez Valley Road, from 3 to 7:30 p.m.

An afternoon of folk dancing, swimming and water sports are planned for the parents and children.

Canyon Callings . . .

Becky Timmons returned to Canyon on a recent afternoon to celebrate her eighth birthday. Her young guests entertained at a theater party were Sister Irene, Betty and Sue Moore, Randy and Sandra Wells, Rita Miller, Ronnie Scholin, Gary Foster, Mary Beckman, Gerald Goss, Grant Engle, Patsy Crawford and Dotty Shally. After ice cream parlor refreshments, the group went to the Claude Seeds' home where Becky's presents were oponed and birthday songs sung.

THE EVENING of April 25 at the Sherman and Clay auditorium in Oakland Bruce and Douglas O'Neil took part in the vocal and instrumental recital given by the Golden Gate Academy, where the boys attend school. "Bolero" by Ravel, was the piano solo played by Doug. Also at the piano, Bruce played "Fantasia" by Mozart and Chopin's "Prelude in C Minor."

Canyon's new zoning map shows the road along the floor of the canyon as "Colorado Road" as it was known previous to 1900. Later it became "Snake Road" then, officially, we thought, "Pinehurst Road." Almost as confusing as the two names this canyon bears, "Old Redwood" and "San Leandro," isn't it?

Donations or Red Cross membership cards entitled holders and family to view the Red Cross benefit show held a recent evening at Canyon School. The program included piano numbers, comedy skits, songs by the Blue Birds and Camp Fire Girls and Billy Jacobs' magician act. The evening ended with a quiz contest between adults and kids, the kids winning, of course.

An after-school dance held recently at the school by the seventh and eighth graders was attended by some of the upper grade students of Moraga School. Canyon and Moraga mothers were invited to act as instructors. The "Virginia Reel" proved to be the most popular dance.

RECIPE DEPARTMENT: A Boy Scout of an experimental nature—at least where food is concerned—concocted a mixed vegetable salad for the evening meal. His family couldn't decide whether or not they like the unidentifiable flavor of the salad. They decided they didn't when the boy finally parted with his secret recipe: garlic dressing, catsup ,mayonnaise and one teaspoonful of vanilla!

KID KWIP: There was some controversy among the primary children of Mrs. Beer's room over who should act out the part of the princess in the song "The Nutmeg Tree," which the youngsters were to sing for the gathered mothers. One small lad settled the argument with, "I think Rita should be the princess, she is two times twice littler than Betty."

Come to the Workshop Fiesta auction in Lafayette Plaza Friday night at 9.

Gossip for Gourmets

by E. J. Phair

A real good friend came in the other day, looking a little bit frazzled. Seems that she had promised a visiting fireman something extra special for dinner . . . and she'd been clothes-shopping all day.

Since it was then about 6 p.m., and dinner was slated for 7:30, I quick-like-a-bunny ushered her into our frozen food section.

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Services Planned For Oscar Mills

Services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 p.m. at the Chapel in the Valley for Oscar Mills, 3665 West Road, Lafayette.

Bishop George A. Miller will officiate. Burial will be at Lafayette Cemetery.

Mills was a well-known Lafayette builder and died suddenly of a heart attack at a Berkeley hospital Tuesday afternoon.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Bernice Mills, two step-children, Carol and Harry Curtiss, his mother, Mrs. Margaret Mills, and sisters Fern Mills and Mrs. Floyd Morgan of Lafayette.

He had three brothers, Omar of Santa Rosa, George of Wall, S. D., and Clarence of Cincinnatti, Ohio.

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Mothers to Hold Last Meeting for Year Tuesday

The last general meeting of the year for the Orinda Mothers' Club will be held Tuesday at 1 p.m. at the Orinda School auditorium, Mrs. Marvin Bonds, club president, announced today.

Installation of new officers and a book review by Eleanor Silverman, associate editor of The SUN will highlight the meeting.

Officers to be installed by the club board advisor, Mrs. Robert Bigler, include Mrs. Miles Sutliff, president; Mrs. Coleman Huntley, vice president; Mrs. Earl Wilder, recording secretary; Mrs. Carl Pederson, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Reese Payne, treasurer.

Mrs. Silverman will review "Snips and Snails," an entertaining vignette of a teacher's experience.

Hostesses at the May general meeting will be room mothers of Orinda and Sleepy Hollow first grades: the Mesdames Nels Hamberg and Gerharde Burde of Sleepy Hollow and Mrs. R. M. Anderson of Orinda School.

Orinda school's fifth and sixth grades' glee club will sing, under the direction of choirmaster E. Barr. On display will be typical day-to-day school work of Orinda seventh and eighth grades.

While Tuesday will be the last general meeting of the Mothers' club successful year, the group's annual "spring bonnet" tea, marking the year's final social event, is yet to come. The tea will be held on Tuesday, May 26, at the home of Mrs. Leighton De Maeyer, 18 Ardor Drive.

The new officers, faculty members of all schools, and mothers of all school children will be welcomed at the tea, and kindergarten mothers of all three schools will be hostesses.

Santa Maria Children Hold May Day Festival

CHILDREN OF SANTA MARIA Church in Orinda held a May Day Festival in the gardens of the J. P. French home on Miner Road in Orinda May 3. The brief ceremony followed 9 o'clock mass.

JANE KNUDSEN carried a crown of roses for the Blessed Mother on a pillow as she led a procession of children in the cememony. Tiny Misses Cynthia Spittler and Linda Hartsough followed the crown bearer carrying streamers from the pillow. The procession included the first communion class who were identified by white dresses and veils.

After the ceremonial procession the children sang hymns and the Rev. David Harrington read a prayer.

A party was held for the children at the church on the previous Tuesday afternoon when they danced around a May pole. Refreshments were served after a period of folk dancing.

THIS MINIATURE FARM, with its buildings and enclosures, was made by second grade pupils at Vallecito School in Lafayette, and it was proudly displayed at the school's Open House during Public Schools Week. At the exhibit, left to right, were Diane Hovey, Mrs. P. W. Hovey, Mr. Hovey and Mrs. Barbara T. Davis, second grade teacher at Vallecito. —SUN photo by Mattson

JANE KNUDSEN carries a crown of roses for the Blessed Mother as she leads a procession of children in a ceremony at the May Day Festival held May 3 by children of Santa Maria Church in the gardens of the J. P. French home in Orinda. The first communion class wears white dresses and veils. —Photo by Ted Gurney

Ground Observer Group Visits Filter Center

The first of a planned series of visits to the Oakland Filter Center was made last Friday under the direction of Mrs. Donn Court, local organizer of the Ground Observer Corps Post for the Lafayette-Orinda-Walnut Creek-Moraga area.

The group of Lafayette citizens actively interested in Civil Defense work was escorted through the Center by T/Sgt. Harold Stafford, U. S. Air Force, who explained the purpose and operation of the Filter Center.

OF GREATEST interest to the Lafayette observers was the message center room, where volunteer plotters, seated about a table map of the Northern California areas served by the Center, received telephone messages from the various Ground Observer Posts on planes spotted, and plotted the planes by means of coded "pips."

Each pip indicated the number and type of planes reported and their direction of flight. As the pips were placed over the map location of the observer post making the report, the necessary information was relayed to the nearest radar post by the "teller" seated in a balcony overlooking the map.

THE LAFAYETTE VISITORS, Mr. and Mrs. Donn Court, Miss Leona Court, Ed Rowland and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kahn, all actively interested in the establishment of an observer post in the Lafayette area, were concerned to find a distressing number of "no active post" indications on the map—including the Lafayette post, designated "Nector Hotel 55 Green," but, as yet, not activated.

Twinings Return

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Twining and children Janice and Kenneth spent four days recently at Yosemite Lodge. They said they thought spring the loveliest time of the year to be there when the falls are full and flowers are abundant.

They had but one night of snow which only added to the beauty of the mountain tops and high places.

A mother bear and her three cubs visited their cabin much to the delight of the children who watched the mother lift off the cover of the garbage can, spill the contents on the ground, watch her babies eat, and then amble on to the next cabin to repeat her morning serving of breakfasts to her family.

They spent the days in some hiking and in pleasant relaxing.

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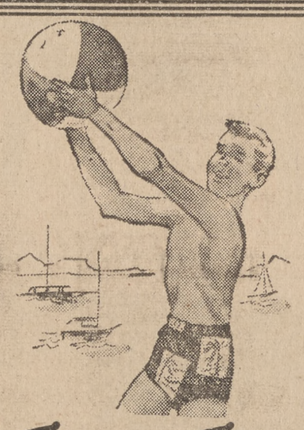

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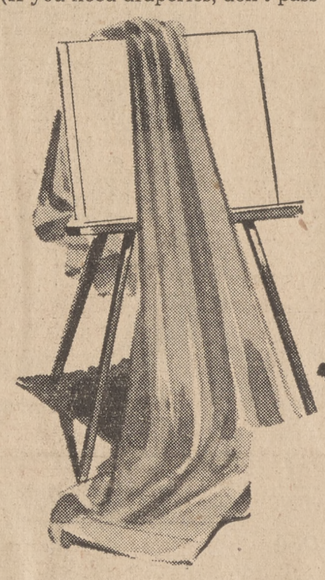

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Cub Scouts Enjoy Nature Study

Cubs of Orinda Pack 212 prepared for a summer of camping last Friday night at their monthly meeting when they viewed slides of local flowers and birds and learned how to identify them.

JEAN AND BILL Pawek of Oakland, who brought the slides and gave the talk, also demonstrated the use of a reflector oven, a device which will make any camp cook a real chef.

Some cubs may have a chance to practice their cooking at the annual picnic on June 5 at Camp Padre in Tilden Park to which all their families are invited.

In the absence of Cubmaster Bruce Howard the meeting was directed by John Dunlap, assisted by Den Chief John Boyd.

AWARDS WERE presented as follows: Two Year Pin: Ed Owen, Carl Ogden; Bear: Roger Hoyer; Gold on Bear: Roger Hoyer, John Thurston, Stephen Smith; Wolf, Don Flenner, Dick Palmer; Gold on Wolf: Tommy Easterbrook; Denner's Stripe: Johnny Zanotti, Paul Rieger, Chuck Dunlap; Assistant Denner's Stripe: Ricky Merriam, Bill Sheldon and Ed Owen.

DEN 4 TOLD of the horseback ride they had made and the leaf collections they had assembled and showed the clever hanging planters they had made from coconut shells. Den 7 exhibited fern and flower prints made on developing paper while Den 1 had axe sheaths and suet logs to add to the Nature Theme. One of the members of Den 1, Dillon Scofield, brought two chickens he had raised. Den 3 showed off the clothes sprinklers and framed pictures of themselves which they were presenting their mothers for Mothers' Day.

A Bobcat Ceremony was held for Roger Roos who will join Den 3. He presented his Den with a new flag holder to be used at Pack meetings. Prospective cub scout Scott Huntley was introdumed to the Pack.

Kindergarten Sign-Up Urged

Parents may register their children who will enter kindergarten at any of the Orinda schools from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on any school day, it was announced by Superintendent of Schools Joseph L. Sheaff.

However, children must have been born by December 2, 1948 and must be four years nine months old on or before September 2, 1953, not December 2, as was reported last week.

Parents must present the child's birth certificate at the time of registration.

St. Stephen's to Conclude Easter Series Sunday

On the Sunday after Ascension, the Reverend Charles M. Hill, vicar of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, will conduct the service for his congregation at 5 p.m. in the Orinda Community church building.

This observance follows the Thursday morning Ascension Day Holy Communion service held yesterday at the vicarage, and terminates the Episcopal Easter season which commemorates the 40 days Christ was on earth following His resurrection on Easter Sunday.

Music on Sunday will be under the direction of Choirmaster Mrs. T. J. Fahay, who will offer as organ selections, "Prelude and Cantilene" by Rousseau, and "Postlude in F" by Guilmant.

St. Stephen's Choir will sing as offertory anthem, "Turn Ye Even Unto Me," with Fred Fowkes rendering the incidental solo.

Progress is being made toward the selection of an organ for the new St. Stephen's Episcopal church to be constructed on Via Las Cruces in the Charles Hill area of Orinda.

Members of the Organ committee have been visiting nearby churches to evaluate the quality of the various brands and types of organs, with an eye to the organ most suitable to the needs of the new structure.

Those of the committee are acting under the chairmanship of James A. Brown, and comprise organist Mrs. T. J. Fahay, Mrs. A. C. Hollister, Mrs. David Collamer and Mrs. Willam Arends.

Reminders Posted At Tunnel Exits

The California Division of Highways has installed signs reading "LIGHTS" at both ends of the Broadway Tunnel.

For some time the department has been concerned over the way motorists forget to turn off their headlights upon leaving a tunnel, and the Broadway Tunnel has been chosen as a test site for these signs.

The department has been installing signs requesting motorists to turn their lights on when entering a tunnel for years, but this is the first time signs of this type have been installed.

There was some discussion over the wording of the signs to be posted. It was feared that if the signs read "turn lights off" motorists might do so, even at night.

So now, as a cryptic reminder, you will see the one word "LIGHTS" staring at you as you leave the tunnel.

Hale Awarded Pin

Richard E. Hale, Assistant Civil Engineer with the East Bay Municipal Utility District, has received his first gold service pin for completing five years loyal service.

Hale lives at 3 Las Palomas, Orinda.

Fellowship To Be Sermon Subject

Three services will be held at the Shepherd-of-the-Valley Lutheran Church, at 294 Orchard Road in Orinda, this Sunday. The 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. services use the Common Order of Service and the 9:30 service is a Sunday School and Family Worship Service.

Tom Kling will continue his instructions in regard to worship at the Family Worship Service.

Edward R. Andersen will speak at the regular services on the topic, "Christian Fellowship."

Friday evening at 8 p.m. at the church the following members of the Sunday School will meet: Tom Kling, superintendent, Mrs. Winters, Mrs. Lloyd Ludwig,, Mrs. Hal Engman, Mrs. McClanahan, Mrs. T. Kling, J. R. Smith and E. Andersen.

They will discuss the possibility of having a Vacation Church School the first part of August.

The Rev. E. R. Andersen, Lutheran Area Chaplain in Racine and Milwaukee, Wisconsin, will be the guest speaker at the regular worship services on Sunday, May 24. Pastor Andersen is also here to take part in the Commencement Service at the Pacific Lutheran Seminary and the ordination of his son, Edward R. Andersen.

The Commencement Service will be held in the outdoor chapel, at 2750 Marin Avenue, on Thursday evening.

The Ordination Service will be held at St. Michael's Lutheran Church on Durant Avenue, Berkeley on Sunday evening, May 24.

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Three Cubs Get Webelos Award

At the Pack meeting last week of Cub Scout Pack 32 three boys received the Webelos Award, the highest award in Cubbing.

The boys were Allen Geissler, Jeff Schwarck and Mike Bigler.

Requirements for Webelos Award are that a boy be ten and a half years old, have his Lion rank, pass the Scout Tenderfoot requirements, carry out a service project for either home, Den or Pack over a two month period, choose his own scout troop three months before his eleventh birthday and visit at least one scout troop.

Other awards given out were Wolf, Donald Hill, Billy Young and Perry Mann; Wolf with Gold Arrow, Larry Hunn; Wolf with Gold and Silver Arrow, John Bailey, Tommy Brooks and Geoffrey Knudsen; Silver Arrow on Wolf, Steve Miller, two, Gary Holtwick, Ricky Collins, Scott McFarland, Tommy Rodgers and Billy Schwarck; Bear Award, Ted Brock and Randy Thaman; Gold Arrow on Bear, Vaughn Smith and Charley Ward; Silver Arrow on Bear, Sandy Corbett; Silver Arrow on Lion, Allen Geissler.

Pack 32 evidently needs a couple of more practice sessions, because in a baseball game Saturday after a valiant try they came out on the short end of the game approximately 43 to nothing. Spokesman for the pack said that after a careful analysis of the team the holes will be plugged and the pack will gain strength.

Practice sessions will be held as usual on Saturday mornings at Sleepy Hollow School at 10 a.m.

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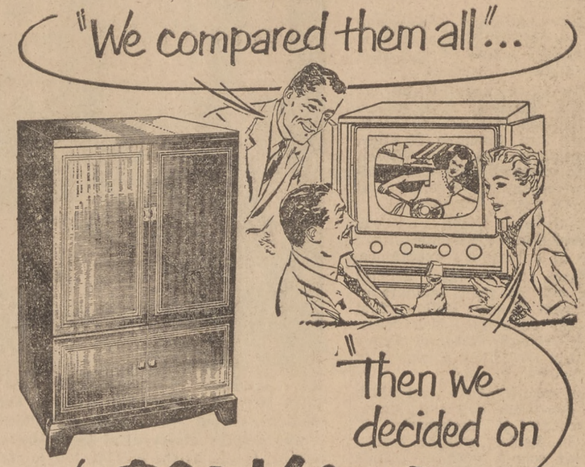

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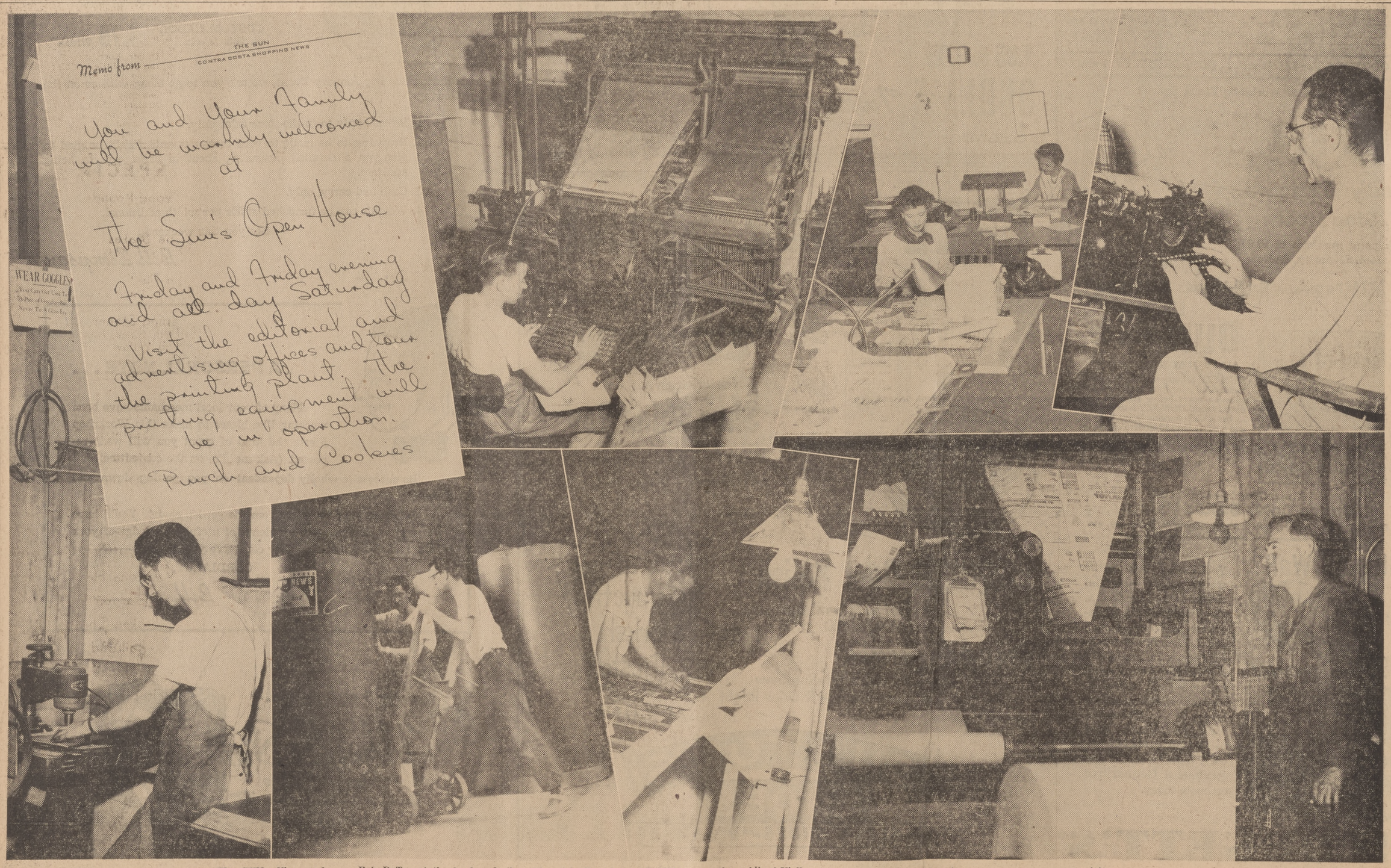
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THESE SMILING students running for the offices indicated seek Don support in the coming Student Body elections. Reading from left to right, the "Rogue's Gallery" consists of (front row) Judy Fry, Yell Leader; Dianne Robertson, Yell Leader; Judy Rounds, Yell Leader; Puanani Garrison, Treasurer; Cathy Greub, Yell Leader; (second row) Carolyn Demeter, Secretary; Lorraine Durante, Social Secretary; Terry White, Treasurer; Chris Swanson, Treasurer; (third row) Sue Small, Social Secretary; Art Deleray, Vice President; Jack Tomlinson, Vice President; Boyd Watkins, Vice President; and Naida Merry, Secretary.

—Acalanes Blueprint photo

Orinda Gardeners Take Blue Ribbon At Garden Show

Members of the Orinda Garden Club are once again winners of the Blue Ribbon First Award for their outdoor garden exhibit at the recent California Spring Garden Show in Oakland.

Under the direction of Mrs. Fred Crawshaw and Mrs. Paul Pollaczek the exhibit theme of an outdoor dining area and firepit with a Hawaiian influence, was the subject of much comment and admiration. It was also one of the most photographed exhibits in the Outdoor Garden area.

THE COLOR MOTIF of yellow, coral and green blended tastefully with the semi tropical planting. Mass planting of geraniums, hibiscus and rhododendrons followed the color scheme of the coral cushions scattered on the lawn around the low table with its arrangement o ftropical fruit.

All of the brick work and planting was done by members of the garden club. Mrs. Fred Crawshaw and Mrs. Paul Pollaczek were co-chairmen of the project. Mrs. C. Walter Cole is garden club president.

BLUE RIBBON winner for flower arrangements were Mrs. James Anderson who blended calla lilies with driftwood and Mrs. William Wilson who used an old pressed glass bowl for her prize winning arrangement of spring flowers.

WITH A BIG SPLASH, Orinda Park Pool opened for the 1953 season last Saturday. Here is a typical scene of the kind of fun available at the pool for members and guests. According to President Charles Gibbs, a full program for the season is being worked out.

—SUN photo by Earl Reed

Church Lists Sunday Music

At the memorial organ of the Orinda Community Church Sunday will be Daniel Popovich at 11 o'clock and Miss Ann Larkey at 9:30 a.m.

Among the numbers to be heard are "Springtide" by Grieg, "Thou art lovely as a flower," by Schumann, and "Passacaglia" by the 17th Century composer Buxtehude. Mrs. Popovich will direct in chapel choir in a negro spiritual, "It's Me, O Lord."

At the earlier of the two services adult discussion will be conducted by Mrs. Elizabeth Laurenson in a continuation of the world affairs series. At 11 a.m. Rev. Fred R. Morrow will conclude a post-Easter sermon series on the general theme "The Three Faces of God" with the subject "The Light that still shines."

Young people of high school age will meet at 6:45 for their weekly Pilgrim Fellowship session of worship, discussion and informal friendliness.

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TV Master Antenna System, Inc., of 83 Orinda Highway invites you to see the World's Championship heavyweight fight tonight.

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'Y' Indian Guides, Other Groups Promote Healthful Fun, Learning

For the youth of today, the man of tomorrow, there is limitless opportunity for healthful recreation and learning.

Not as well publicized but fully as effective a means of providing this opportunity is the "Y" — the Young Men's Christian Association.

IN THIS area "Y" activities have boomed since the advent of John Price as a full-time executive secretary. His territory encompasses Orinda, Lafayette, Walnut Creek, Concord and Pacheco. The greatest strides have been taken in Pacheco where Price and James Barcelon head a recreation program each Wednesday. The secretary, active in athletics during his University of California days in the late thirties, teaches tumbling, wrestling and boxing in the town hall. Barcelon, an enthusiastic "Y" supporter, directs the school playground activities.

One of the goals of every father and son — comradeship — can be attained through the "Y" Indian Guide program. Two tribes, Mt. Diablo and Bol Bonis, have been established here and the goal is 10. The Bol Bonis take their name from the Indians who lived at the base of Mt. Diablo centuries ago.

THESE GROUPS are organized by two or three fathers who are friends. They recruit six or seven other men — nine fathers and son teems make a tribe — and meet biweekly in neighborhood homes. If a bond of friendship exists between the boys, like attending the same school or church, the success of the tribe is assured. The Indian symbol was chosen by the 27 year old national organization for many reasons of which one of the most important is the father and son relationship that established an above average method in the training of boys.

The men and boys of the local tribes worked together last fall to fashion a decorated, smoking tepee on a float which took first place in the historical float division of the Walnut Festival parade.

For grade school boys the Gra-Ys exist, one of the newest units being the Pacheco Lions Gra-y organized in December with a membership of 12 youngsters. A service organization usually sponsors Gra-Y groups.

THE MORE familiar Hi-Y boasts an active group at Acalanes High School, the Aztec H-Y Club, whose members were guests of the Mt. Diablo Y's Men's Club at a Christmas dinner. Harry "Cooky" Lavagetto, major league star, was guest speaker. Another Hi-Y Club is being organized at Mt. Diablo High School.

Having mentioned the Y's Men, they must be given credit for selling more than 250 Christmas wreaths, netting about $100 to help send boys to the "Y" summer Camp Gualala in the Sonoma County redwoods. The local unit meets in one of the completed rooms of the new Methodist Church on Sunnyvale Avenue.

Rev. Phillip A. Solbjor, pastor of the Walnut Creek Methodist Church, is a member of the Y's East Contra Costa Executive Committee. Also on the committee, all from Orinda, Lafayette, Walnut Creek or Pleasant Hill, are A. W. Elkinton, chairman; Elroy Condeff, Wilbur Jacoby, Fred Kiesel, Juel Lien, John Moiso, Neil M. Parsons, J. L. Sheaff and Harold Symes.

SECRETARY Price has served the "Y" since 1941 in boys' work, except for three year's war service and in 1951 when he took a leave of absence to secure a Master's Degree in Group Work from the School of Social Welfare, University of California.

Chairman Elkinton has haid, "We are fortunate to have a man of Price's training and experience help solve some of the emerging youth problems in this fast growing area."

Price's office headquarters are donated by Wilfir Blumert of the Walnut Creek Paint Mart at 2095 Mt. Diablo Boulevard. The telephone number is W. C. 9070.

Hupps Greet Brother Back From Korea

Mrs. James Hupp and family had a happy day recently when her brother Charles Morman arrived from Korea from where he had been flown out only nine days before.

He is an army warrant officer and during his two years in Korea saw heavy duty in the front ranks. In fact he was with those who were fired on once by our own planes but escaped being hit.

He said it was not a glamorous war but ust a succession of going forward, retreating, and digging in and all in heat and dust, or cold and mud.

The next day he left the Hupps to join his wife and three children in San Diego, and after a visit with them would be sent to Camp Atterbury in Indiana.

Barbecue 'Show' All Day Monday

A Big Boy Barbecue demonstration will be given all day Monday at Orinda Hardware, 56 Moraga Highway.

Free samples of the delicious meals barbecued on the Big Boy Portable Barbecue will be given visitors .

Besides Fighting Fires, Our Firemen Perform Many Services for Community

If you're one of those naive persons who still think the work of the Orinda Fire Department is limited to its highly efficient fighting of fires, Inspector William Koch of the department can quickly set you right.

Koch is a modest man and likes to keep in the background of news. But he couldn't resist telling of some of the many non-fire activities of Orinda firemen.

"QUITE FREQUENTLY," he said, "we get a surprise letter such as this one — and it's gratifying and reassuring to learn that our efforts are appreciated."

He showed the following letter, from Captain Clain O. Harding of 70 Loma Vista Drive, a member of the United States Marine Corps Reserve:

"I want to take this opportunity to commend the Orinda Fire Department.

"On Easter Sunday, being in a rush to get to an early church service. I neglected to take my house key with me. I was unable to locate a locksmith after church.

"I STOPPED AT the Village Fire House thinking that one of the friemen might be able to refer me to a locksmith. They did one better! Mr. Koch, accompanied by another fireman, came up to my house and did an extremely neat and efficient job in obtaining entrance to the house.

"The assistance, which was certainly 'above and beyond the call of duty' was deeply appreciated, to say the least.

"I MIGHT FURTHER note that I've had several other occasions to contact the Orinda Fire Department since returning home. They have always been extremely courteous and helpful — whether they issued or denied the requested burning permit.

"It's really gratifying to know that men like Bill Koch and the other firemen that I have had the pleasure of coming into contact with are working in Orinda. It certainly makes the community a nicer place to live."

Here are some other examples of Fire Department services, as recounted by Koch:

LITTLE SUE R. had just completed a course in what to do in an emergency, given to Girl Scouts by the Fire Department, when she called the department, real calm and collected:

"Mr. Fireman, would you please come to our house at once, my little brother is bleeding to death, and I think my momie just died."

"Mrs. R. couldn't stand the sight of blood, and had fainted when little Gregory cut his leg on an old tin can," Koch said. "We fixed up Gregory's leg — Mrs. R. is doing nicely, too. She baked us a batch of delicious cookies."

THE F'S MOVED TO Orinda so the children would have a safe place to grow up. A few weeks later, Rickie fell off a sewer pipe and split his head open, and little Geary got lost.

"We found him about a mile from the house in a swimming pool excavation," the inspector said.

"We pointed out to big brother Rickie (age 6), who was to keep an eye on Geary while Mrs. F., who was almost due to have another child, was resting, that if there would have been water in the pool he would have lost his little brother by drowning.

"He answered, after serious consideration, that it wouldn't be too bad, because momie was going to have another one soon, anyway."

"Every year," Koch observed, "we get perhaps 40 to 50 calls from parents who have a problem with their children playing with matches. So far we have been almost 100 per cent successful — if we get the parents' cooperation. Here are a few incidents from which all of us might benefit:

"Jeffrey N., age 5, set a canyon on fire, climbed a large boulder and sat! We had a heck of a time putting out the fire, all poison oak and grease wood.

"Jeffrey's dad got the truth out of him, then brought him to us. We asked him why he started the fire.

"So I could watch the fire trucks come."

"Oh yes, he came to the Fire House for about a week after that, sat on the trucks, blew the siren a few times and has been a good boy ever since!

"NOT SO ENCOURAGING was the problem we had with Mr. and Mrs. G. when their boy, almost high school age, was instrumental in starting one of the worst grass and brush fires we have had.

"We asked the parents to bring their son to the Fire House, so we could talk things over. Said the father, 'I am a taxpayer, paying your salary to fight fires, why should we be treated as criminals?'

San Quentin has a lot of boys whose parents didn't believe that they could do wrong.

"THEN THERE WAS little J.," Koch continued.

"He was a cute little guy, with big, innocent blue eyes, constantly taking matches in the neighbors' houses, making little mounds of leaves or pine needles and setting them on fire, until he drove his parents crazy.

"This mother called us repeatedly; we tried every trick we knew, to no avail.

"We finally suggested that perhaps the old razor strap would do the job. The father, a doctor, did not agree to such brutal methods.

"A month or so later I met Mrs. D. 'Mr. Koch,' she said, 'J. has been the best little boy; no more matches, no more fires.'

"Fine," said I, "glad to hear it, and may I ask what did you do to straighten him out?"

"'Oh that! I waited until the doctor went to his office, then used your advice.'"

Delphians Elect New Officers

Officers for the third and final year of the Delphian study group were elected by the Chi Lambda chapter at the last seminar meeting held Monday at the Orinda Community Church.

When the group convenes in the fall Mrs. M. Pierce Milton will take office as president; Mrs. Joseph DeMaria, vice-president; Mrs. Randall Cook, secretary; Mrs. W. J. Smith, treasurer, and Mrs. Truman Floyd, seminar board chairman.

Word chairman and publicity chairman will be appointed by the new president.

The last regular seminar meeting before summer vacation will be held Monday at 10 a.m. at the Orinda Community Church.

It will complete the discussion series on Political Patterns, which has been a very stimulating and enlightening study of world affairs.

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About our happy Country Folks

By EDITH BOLMAN

What is all this business about a pink poodle at the Motorama General Motors Show? We are becoming quite accustomed to seeing our friends with different colored coiffures on alternate Sundays—as a matter of fact we took a little fling at it ourself once. Small daughter was giving her Toni doll a platinum rinse and suggested that we borrow some and touch up our grey streak. We obliged but inasmuch as our crowning glory is just common garden variety hair, instead of the more practical DuPont synthetic, the effect was different. Toni was a shimmering silver and we were a lurid purple.

But anyway we have heard reports about one of the cars at the show with pink upholstery, a lovely lady with a pink gown and a poodle dog to match. Others there who noticed this phenomena were Mr. and Mrs. Ron Schacht, Edward Martin, Ritchie Smith, Robert Jurs, Jack Bottomly, Lyle York and Dr. Stephen Jensen with visiting brother Carl.

Home from a trip East are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Krotz. First to Washington, D.C., in time for the Cherry Blossom Festival. Interesting thing about that is that there is a princess from each state and the Queen is chosen from among them by drawing a name out of the hat. She then presides over the illuminated parade and the formal ball which is graced, of course, by Mrs. Eisenhower.

THEN TO ATLANTIC CITY, then to visit friends in Swarthmore and then to the Industrial Research Institute Convention at the Greenbriar Hotel in White Sulphur Springs in West Virginia. The hotel has an interesting history dating from before the Civil War when it was one of the famous watering places for the Southern gentry (who, no doubt turned up in their best coterie, pantry and vestry). After the Civil War the Northerners took over (probably with their young bags ,old bags and carpet bags)—(incidentally the facetious remarks are ours, please do not blame Mrs. Krotz who very graciously gave us the story when we told her the proceeds go to the Children's Hospital—without any saucy side remarks). But now back to the hotel—during World War II the government turned it into a hospital but in recent years it has been taken over by the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad and re-established as a southern mansion hostelry of elegance and charm.

The decorations were done by Dorothy Draper in somewhat the fashion as the Fairmont Hotel only in reds and stark white. There is even a suite for the Duke and Duchess of Windsor where the paying guest is permitted to peek if the Windsors are someplace else. The adjacent golf course is Sammy Snead's original stamping ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sheldon were there and reported that they have found an apartment in New York as have also the Monroe Spaights. And now to get the Krotz family back to Orinda—first to Gettysburg where they visited the battlefields, then the Shenandoah Valley where the apple blossoms were in bloom and then the Sky Line Drive through the Blue Ridge Mountains of Virginia and then home in time to do the yard work.

Home from Los Angeles just in time to see their beautiful pink rhododendron in bloom and to solve the mystery of the corpses in the living room are Mr. and Mrs. Eric Peter of Hidden Valley. And now back to the corpses. Hundreds of bees, all over the living room—quite dead. The mystery is—how did they get there which was obviously impossible because everything was locked up tight including the fireplace. We suggested that bees have been known to tuck in their fenders and barge in "where angels fear to tread" but that didn't seem to be the ultimate solution as far as the Peters were concerned. Mrs. Peter's sister, Mrs. Earl Johnson from Vancouver, B. C., is coming to visit for several weeks so maybe she can figure it out.

COUTOURIERS day at Acalanes—the foreign Faths and Diors had better perk up a bit if they want to keep ahead of the young ladies who exhibited the clothes they had made in sewing class at the recent Mothers' Tea. Mothers we heard about were mightily impressed.

Tom Tilton is leaving in June from Quebec with a group of Stanford students under the guidance of Dr. Eric Hutchinson on a comprehensive tour of Europe.

DID YOU KNOW that Carolas—Miss Carolas that is—pet horsey of Mr. and Mrs. John P. O'Shea won the third race at Tanforan?

David—new baby boy—at the Bernard Wilbur household.

Joan Hedemark is back from a Hawaiian vacation.

Phenomenal creatures these Orinda housewives—Mrs. W. H. Mordy moved into the Dan Sheldon house three days before Mother's Day and proceeded to give a Mothers' Day dinner for various members of her family. Not only that they are installing a swimming pool which has nothing whatsoever to do with the party but that sort of thing always interests us and we assume you are the same.

Seen at the Golf Match sponsored by the Junior League at the Claremont Country Club: Mesdames Gamble Otto, Robert Jurs, Lyle York, James Felchlin, Jack Bailey, Weyand Milton, Eugene Shurtleff, Ramsay Underwood, Oliver Meek, Charles Rowe, Harry Jackson, Frank Dunn, Ted Beckett, Paul Demeter, James Sharp, Roy Adams and Ernest Kahl.

Speaking of golfers—another illustrious local visitor was Patty Berg who visited Mr. and Mrs. Burton Kohler after playing in the Weathervane Tournament in San Francisco.

Women—Humph! As a matter of fact we are very much in favor of women but sometimes they do tickle us. Now for instance the local Republican Women's group is a hard working business organization gathered together principally for the purpose of rolling up sleeves and going to work. Social activities? Heavens to Betsy—no! We-ell that is with the possible exception of next Wednesday—and guess what they are up to then—a lovely tea at two o'clock in the beautiful gardens of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lyon on Tunnel Road—just past Charles Hill Road (as the crow flies in the direction of Mt. Diablo—assuming of course that he made it through the Tunnel without becoming confused and thinking he was a Jaguar).

It is to be a "come one, come all" operation for all members of the group and all others interested in their activities—we hear that the nut bread and cookies are of the best so—see you there.

That is all.

Church Women to Hold Last Meet Before Summer

Plans were made for the last general meeting before summer vacation of the Women's Auxiliary of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church in Orinda, during the regular session of the Executive board which convened yesterday at the home of president Mrs. Arthur Johnson.

Slated to take place at the home of Mrs. T. E. Haley, 1 Via Hermosa in Orinda, on May 28, the 12:30 dessert meeting will include election of officers for the new year, and will present Mrs. Sumner Walters, wife of Bishop Walters of the Diocese of San Joaquin Valley.

Mrs. Walters, who spoke before the Auxiliary last year, is a member of the National Board of Directors of the Women's Auxiliary of Episcopal Churches. She and Bishop Walters recently returned from an extensive European trip, where they attended the graduation of a son in England, and traveled through the continental countries to the Middle East. She will speak to members of St. Stephen's Auxiliary on her experiences in the Holy Land, and her impressions of the people and places in Jerusalem and its environs.

Mothers Hear About JC Life

The Orinda High School Mother's Club met Monday at the home of Mrs. Kenneth St. Clair, 24 La Campana, and heard an informative panel discussion on "Impressions of Junior College Life" led by Mr. Buffington, Dean of Instruction at East Contra Costa Junior College.

The three members of the panel, Tony Biggs, Bob Wallis and Paul Oliver each gave splendid reasons for feeling that Junior College education is very valuable and that Junior Colleges in general fill a real need.

All of them are graduating this year.

They said that ECCJC is one of the finest in California and is fully accredited by the Western College Association. It has four full time counselors and splendid teachers to guide the students. Six hundred students are enrolled and class hours are from eight in the morning till ten at night to help the schedules of those students who work.

New officers of the Orinda High School Mother's Club are: president, Mrs. Paul Kops; vice-president, Mrs. Bernard Ginsburg: recording secretary, Mrs. John Bohn; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Donald Hunter; treasurer, Mrs. Joseph Rupley and program chairman Mrs. Harry Oliphant.

Clippers to Hear Anthropologist

The Clipper Club will meet May 22 at 8 p.m. at the home of DeLoss and Evangeline Winkler, 133 Lombardy Lane.

Harry Millman, research anthropologist, will show colored slides of people and living conditions in India.

Millman has lived among the Indian people and studied them extensively, so he will be able to give a thoroughly interesting first-hand picture.

Catholic Women to Hear Psychologist

The Santa Maria Catholic Women's Club of Orinda will hold its May meeting Monday at 8 p.m. at the Orinda Country Club.

After a very short business meeting, the group will be honored to hear the noted psychologist, Dr. Edgar J. Hinkel, who will speak on "The Child With Problems and the Problem Child."

Dr. Hinkel received his A.B. from St. Mary's College and his M.A. and Ph. D. from the University of California. Dr. Hinkel is a member of the Board of Directors of the Catholic Social Service of Alameda County and a member of the Health Board of the College of Holy Names in Oakland.

At the present time Dr. Hinkel is a consulting psychologist in private practice in Oakland: a consultant, by referal, for the Catholic Social Service; a lecturer on family life and mental bygiene; a camp director (formerly 12 years) of a Catholic Summer Camp for Boys. He is an author of a book, "Juvenile Delinquency in Peace and War" published in 1948. Dr. Hinkel is a member of the Knight of Columbus in Oakland, Serra Club, Oakland and St. Joseph's Parish in Berkeley.

Dr. Hinkel's talk will be about children of all ages and at the end of his lecture there will be time for a question and answer period. This ecture is open to all members of the parish, husbands and wives, and their friends in the Bay Area.

Psychologist to Speak at Church

Shipmates, the younger married couples' group of Orinda's Community Church, are assuming responsibility for the May Church Night pot-luck dinner to be held Wednesday evening at 6:30 in the Fellowship hall.

Mrs. Elbert Wayne, Orinda 8576, and Mrs. J. R. Creighton, Orinda 2761, are receiving reservations.

The program for this dinner is of special interest to all who are concerned with problems of psychology, as most people are in these days. Dr. Frampton B. Price, Orinda resident and member of the Community Church, who is Chief Clinical Psychologist of the U.S. Naval Hospital at Oak Knoll, will speak on "The Team Approach to Psychiatric Problems at a Naval Hospital," illustrating his talk with a film prepared for this subject, "Let There Be Light."

Dr. Price received his Doctor's degree in Clinical Psychology in 1944. For two years he served as Chief Psychologist at the Veterans' Administration Hospital at Roseburg, Oregon, and this experience was followed by a similar term as Instructor at Cornell University, Ithaca, New York. For five years he has served the Navy in his present capacity and holds the rank of Lieutenant Commander in the Standby Reserve. Dr. and Mrs. Price live with their two children, Gail, 5, and Christopher, 3 weeks, at 32 Vallecito Lane.

During the adult program at the dinner, separate motion picture entertainment will be furnishel for children in the Children's Unit. Presiding will be Edmund Richard, Church Night committee chairman.

Women's Guild Hears About Job

The General Guild of Orinda Community Church met May 5 in Fellowship Hall at 12:30 when they were served luncheon by members of Section 4 under the chairmanship of Mrs. A. A. Knudson. The devotions were by Mrs. Jesse McMillan on the theme of "Looking for the Kingdom of God."

Mrs. Charles Blue, program chairman, presented Odette Weatherbe who sang some delightful solos on a spring theme and was accompanied by Virginia Baker.

The guest speaker of the afternoon, Dr. Gail Cleland of Berkeley, was then introduced by Mrs. Blue, saying that Dr. Cleland had been a Congregational minister, had spent two years in Korea, and had given a course of lectures on characters of the Bible to the 9:30 morning session of the Community Church. He spoke on "The Oldest Drama in the World."

This drama, found in the book of Job, he said, was as vital today as when written 2500 years ago at the time Demosthenes, Plato and Aristotle were influencing their part of the world.

He said that Carlisle deemed it of more literary value than anything ever written in or out of the Bible yet its author is unknown.

It is a drama not to be acted but to be read. The characters are Job, a few citizens, and the voice of God and Satan. The scene is an ash heap outside the city and the gates of heaven.

It grips everyone because through it runs the eternal question, "Why do good men suffer and the evil go free?" Dr. Cleland told the story of Job's trials and said Job gave the best answer to this question when he said "When He hath tried me I shall come out as gold."

In the business meeting that followed Dr. Cleland's inspirational and scholarly talk, reports were given by the guild officers. Among these was that of Mrs. Elbert Wayne who announced that the June luncheon would be held at the church June 2 and would feature a Fashion Show by Clothes Horse and Clothes Pony of Walnut Creek.

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SECOND SECTION

ORINDA SUN

Friday, May 15, 1953

Daphne Branch of Children's Hospital Plans Fashion Show

The Daphne Branch of the Children's Hospital of the East Bay presents its second annual fashion show tomorrow at the home of H. W. Powell, 4139 Los Arabis Drive, Lafayette.

Sarting at 1 p.m. there will be an array of youthful fashions presented by the following members of the Daphne Branch:

June Derry, Catharine Monroe and Ann Ward from Steele's in Walnut Creek.

Judy Johnson, Marilyn Davis and Les Heche from Jo Ann's in Walnut Creek.

Judy Hall, Georgia Powell and Irene Barret from Miss and Mrs. in Walnut Creek.

Carolyn Goforth, Sandy Humble and Nancy Edminster from Hill 'n' Dale in Lafayette.

Marianne Somers, Kay Mickle and Karen Johanson from Country Girl in Walnut Creek.

Tickets will be sold at the door.

Highlights of the show will be Marianne Somers in a red halter sun suit. Kay Mickle in a strapless Lanz dress with matching shoes and bag, Les Heche in a black and white cotton bathing suit with halter neck, Nancy Edminster in a shocking pink terry cloth sun suit, originally styled in the latest fashion and Carolyn Goforth in a pair of grey pedal pushers with a striped shirt and matching bag and hat.

Nancy Dietrich Becomes Bride Of George Exline

Nancy Catherine Dietrich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Alexander of 2448 Walnut Blvd., Walnut Creek, became the bride of George Richard Exline of Oakland May 2 at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Walnut Creek.

The Rev. Wilfred H. Hodgkin officiated at the afternoon ceremony.

The bride walked to the altar on the arm of her father. She wore a pastel pink crepe suit with matching accessories. Her flowers were white orchids.

Mrs. Alfred E. Dakin of Walnut Creek served as matron of honor for her sister. She wore a powder blue suit with matching accessories and carried pink carnations.

Charles McCarty of Berkeley served as best man for his brother-in-law. Ushers included the bride's brother, Tom Dietrich and her brother-in-law, Alfred Dakin of Walnut Creek.

The bride's mother chose a pink silk print dress for the wedding. Her corsage was gardenias and pink rosebuds.

The groom's mother, Mrs. T. W. Exline of Oakland, wore a gray silk suit and a corsage of red rosebuds and gardenias.

Nancy is an Acalanes High School graduate and attended Contra Costa Jnuior College and the University of California in Berkeley. She is employed in Oakland.

The groom, the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Exline of Oakland, is a graduate of Oakland High School and is serving with the Coast Guard.

A wedding reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

The couple are making their home in Oakland after a brief honeymoon.

Frances Kiernan, Jim Brown Will Be Wed in September

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kiernan of 11 Scenic Drive, Orinda, last Saturday announced the engagement of their daughter Frances Rae Kiernan to Jim Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brown of Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Walnut Creek.

The wedding will take place September 6.

FRANCES AND HER fiance were guests at gatherings of both families Saturday night.

First they were at the Kiernan home with the bride-to-be's parents, her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Bessie Berry of the Scenic Drive address; her sister, Patsy, and her brother, Danny.

Then they went to a family gathering at the home of Jim's parents.

BOTH FRANCES AND Jim are graduates of Acalanes High School.

Frances was graduated from Acalanes in 1951. She is working as a teller at the American Trust Company in Orinda.

Jim attended College of the Pacific in Stockton for two years, studying engineering, then he was in the Army for two years. He returned from Korea in February. He intends to continue with his engineering studies.

The couple plan to reside in Walnut Creek.

Mrs. Ames Will Honor Bride Elect

Mrs. William Ames of Walnut Creek will honor a future September bride, Mollie Mulford of Piedmont at a kitchen shower June 6.

Miss Mulford is the fiancee of William Arthur Kinney of Piedmont.

Republican Women Make Final Plans For Spring Tea

The Orinda Women's Republican Club will hold a Spring Tea in the garden of the Harvey Lyon Estate Wednesday at 2 p. m.

Honored guests will be Mrs. Jean Fuller, California State President of Republican Women's Clubs, Mrs. Marjorie Benedict of the Republican National Committee, Mrs. Gladys Penland, President of the Northern Division of Republican Women's Clubs and Miss Ardis Myhrs, Chairman of the Speakers of the Northern Division of Republican Women's Clubs.

Tea Chairman, Mrs. Melvin S. Jacobue, will be assisted by Mrs. Kendrick Morrish, Mrs. Aubrey Sweet, Mrs. Charles Smith and Mrs. Theodore Sanford, while a committee of the Young Republican Women headed by Mrs. J. W. Bentley will help as hostesses.

A cordial invitation is extended to all Republican Women to attend.

Hosts and Hostesses Named for Dance by Hill and Dale

Hostesses for the Hill and Dale party to be held tonight at the Orinda Country Club will be:

Messers. and Mesdames Beach Dean, Duncan Knudsen and Donald Norman, Thomas Montague, Robert Goodale, Lawrence Collins, Fred Crawshaw, Heywood Gathings, Thomas Rogers, Jack Fraser, Stuart Davis, Sheldon Allen and Oliver Meek.

Sorority Gives Benefit Card Party

Alpha Epsilon Chapter of Phi Epsilon Phi sorority met last week at the home of Mrs. Frances Navone of 58 Tara Road, Orinda, for a benefit dessert card party.

Tables were decorated with spring flowers and prizes added to the entertainment.

Proceeds from the party will go toward buying seeing eye dogs for the blind. About 75 members and guests attended the affair.

Adelines Slate Benefit Concert

Songs sung for fun — and so that others may have more fun — are the reasons for the benefit concert which is being planned for May 26 by the Diablo Chapter of Sweet Adelines.

Although no admission will be charged for the concert, to which the public is invited, donations will be welcomed. All proceeds from the evening of music, which will begin at 8:15 p. m., will go to the Walnut Creek Recreation Center, where the women practice each Tuesday night.

The women "barbershop" harmonizers, singing under the direction of Nico D. Snel, are preparing a program of favorite tunes, both old and new, for presentation at that time.

Lola Armstrong, president of the Sweet Adelines, states that the program will include selections both by the entire group and quartets from the group, as well as piano selections by Snel.

Appearing before many civic organizations during the past few months, the Diablo Chapter of Sweet Adelines has been heard throughout the entire bay area.

Cocktail Parties To Precede Nursery School Spring Dance

A flurry of cocktail parties are being planned to precede the Orinda Nursery School spring dance tomorrow night at the Diablo Country Club.

Between four and five hundred persons, with the ladies decked out in their most glamorous cottons, are expected to attend the annual benefit dance, according to Mrs. Kenneth Mirov, general chairman.

Many of the members attending will have out-of-town guests for the affair. Among these will be well known ex-Orindan Frank Olsen and Mrs. Olsen, down from Clear Lake. Olsen, when a local merchant, often played Santa Claus at nursery school Christmas parties.

Dinner will be served tomorrow night at 9 p. m. and Gordon Heche's orchestra will play for dancing.

Individual decorations will feature a pig-tail set theme. Sponsors for the dance will include "old-time" Orinda residents, some of whom have had as many as five children graduated from the nursery school. Prizes will be awarded at the dance.

Among the many pre-dance parties planned in Orinda are those of Mrs. James Seaman, president of the school. Other Orinda parties will be given by the Mesdames Frank Cayting, John E. Grant, Robert Farrell, Lloyd Hecathorn and Russell Gilwee, and in Lafayette by Mrs. Lawton L. Shurtleff.

Serving on the dance committee, besides Mrs. Mirov, are the Mesdames H. H. Fitzsimmons, William Brock, Clinton DeWitt, J. Gordon Ainsworth, Hecathorn and Cayting.

Thelma Gans Ross Weds William Braly In Home Ceremony

Announcements are now being received of the wedding of Thelma Gans Ross and William C. Braly. The wedding took place at the home of Colonel and Mrs. William C. Braly, 16 Sanborn Road, Orinda, on Saturday afternoon, May 2.

Fifty relatives and close froends of the bride and bridegroom attended the ceremony, at which the Orinda Community Church pastor, Fred D. Morrow, officiated.

A reception at the home followed the nuptials.

The bridegroom is a nephew of Colonel and Mrs. Braly and the bride has recently come to the Bay Area from New York City. Matron of honor was Mrs. Eleanor Rusk of Walnut Creek. Best man was John O. Hoskins of San Mateo, a friend of the bridegroom since boyhood days.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Charles Gans of San Francisco. Mrs. Sally B. Gans, mother of the bride, was here from her home in Uniontown, Penn.

The bride wore a blue trveling suit with white accessories, an orchid corsage, and as a wedding gift from the bridegroom, a string of pearls from Tokyo. The matron of honor wore a gray frock with a corsage and headband of yellow roses. Mr. and Mrs. Braly will be at home after May 15 in San Francisco.

Colonel Braly, at whose Sanborn Road home the wedding took place, was a prisoner of war on Corregidor which was the scene of his book, "The Hard Way Home," published in 1947.

Here Comes the Bride

Charlotte Maloyan Is Bride of Sgt. Ralph Fowler

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Ralph George Fowler, the former Charlotte Ann Maloyan of Lafayette, have returned from a honeymoon in Carmel and are at home in Livermore .

Their wedding was held May 3 at Santa Maria Church in Orinda. The Rev. David Harrington officiated at the 2 o'clock ceremony.

The bride, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maloy L. Maloyan of 3945 Los Arabis Road, Lafayette, chose for her wedding an amber and white checked suit with a mottled brown and white straw hat. She carried a white prayer book and white orchids.

Carolyn Maloyan attended her sister. She wore a simple turquoise cotton fashioned with a full skirt. Her white bonnet type hat was trimmed with pearls and she carried an old fashioned nosegay of pink carnations.

Ben Wilson of Parks Air Force Base attended the groom.

A dinner was served to about 25 relatives following the simple wedding ceremony at the Maloyan home.

The bride is a 1948 graduate of Acalanes High School and received her degree in recreation at San Jose State College in 1952. She was affiliated with Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority. She has been employed as recreation director for Livermore Recreation District with headquarters at the Livermore Community Center.

The groom, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph V. S. Fowler of Compton, formerly of Portland, Oregon, is a graduate of the University of Oregon. He is presently an instructor at Park Air Force Base.

Inman-Kane's Niece To Wed Hugh Lester

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Findlay of Palo Alto have announced the engagement of their daughter, Virginia, to Hugh Edward Lester of Hollywood.

Virginia is the neice of the John Inman-Kanes of 1224 Upper Happy Valley Road and was a student at Acalanes High School for a while.

Her parents have resided in England for the past two years and will leave for Australia soon.

Virginia will be graduated from Pomona College in June. Her fiance is studying chemistry at the same college.

The couple have made no definite wedding plans as yet.

Vacation in Islands

Miss Joan Hedemark, 7 El Caminito, Orinda, is now vacation in the Hawaiian Islands.

William Reynolds And Janice Reynolds Betrothal Announced

The engagement of Miss Janice Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Reynolds of Palo Alto, and William Craig Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Reynolds of Ygnacio Valley, was announced recently in Palo Alto.

The bride elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wert of Mount Vernon where she was well known for her work in Rainbow and Camp Fire organiaztions. She will graduate from Palo Alto High School next month and has been working in a medical clinic there. Her sister, Joan, attends San Jose State College.

Bill is a junior at Stanford University where he is majoring in engineering. He is a graduate of Acalanes High School and Orinda Grammar School. He was an active member of Las Trampas Chapter, Order of De Molay in Walnut Creek. His brother, Gerry, is a student at Mt. Diablo High School.

He is the grandson of the late Patrick Pope Galt of Louisville, Kentucky, and Mrs. Florence Galt, formerly of Berkeley, now residing in Ygnacio Valley.

No definite wedding date has been set.

The young couple were honored at a family barbecue Sunday held at the Ygnacio Valley home of the Reynolds.

Cocktail Luncheon, Bridal Shower Given For Orinda Girl

A beautifully-appointed cocktail-luncheon and bridal shower honoring their niece, Miss LaVerne Durante, was given by Mrs. Charles Murra of Orinda, and Mrs. Alfred Mastrelli of Lafayette.

The setting was the Orinda Country Club April 29 at 12:30 p. m. Large bowls of pastel roses and spring flowers created a colorful decor in the foyer and also in the Terrace Room, where luncheon was served.

LaVerne received in a pale blue silk organza dress with a fitted bodice and bouffant skift, Mrs. Murra wore summer blue with small white pattern throughout and Mrs. Mastrelli was gowned in light beige ribbon knit. Twenty-seven relatives and close friends, some coming from as far as Gilroy, attended the gala gathering.

The honoree is the daughter of the Alfred Durantes of Berkeley Avenue, Orinda. Her betrothal to Lloyd, son of the John Torchios of Lafayette, was announced Christmas Day and the duo are to be married June 28 at Corpus Christi Church, Piedmont.

Joan Alvestad Becomes the Bride Of David Cavanaugh

Joan Alvestad, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julian P. Alvestad of Alamo, became the bride of David Cavanaugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee C. Cavanaugh Sr. of Alameda April 26 at Danville Presbyterian Church. The Rev. H. W. Van Delinder officiated at the 3 p. m. ceremony.

The bride wore a white ballerina length gown and fingertip veil and carried a bouquet of lily of the valley.

Miss Barbara Templeton, a Delta Zeta Sorority sister of the bride, was maid of honor and junior attendant was Joan's sister, Carol.

Lee C. Cavanaugh Jr. acted as best man for his brother.

A reception followed the ceremony at the Miranda Avenue home of the bride's parents.

The bride was a sophomore at the University of California previous to her marriage.

The groom is majoring in business administration at the University of California. He is a member of Alpha Chi Rho fraternity.

Happy Valley Home To Be Wedding Site

Dr. and Mrs. Fletcher Brandon Taylor have offered their Happy Valley home in Lafayette as the setting for the July 11 wedding of Sally Joan Marsh and Dr. Joseph Bertino Jr. of Berkeley.

The Taylors will also give a cocktail party for the engaged couple June 6, when they will have as guests several score of the friends of the couple.

More than 300 invitations will be sent out for the wedding.

Folk Dancers Hold Springtime Event

Spring filled the air as the Acalanes Folk Dancers met for an evening of folk dancing in the Veteran's Memorial Auditorium in Danville Saturday evening.

Butterflies, their wings covered with sequins, adroned the programs while caterpillar name plates identified the guests.

The refreshment tables were decorated with spring flowers and miniature maypoles of colored ribbons.

The squares were called by Carl Schwartzer and Frank EnEarl of Walnut Creek, Dick Benofsky of Lafayette and Ernie Williams, Taylor Hold and Ted Darger of Martinez.

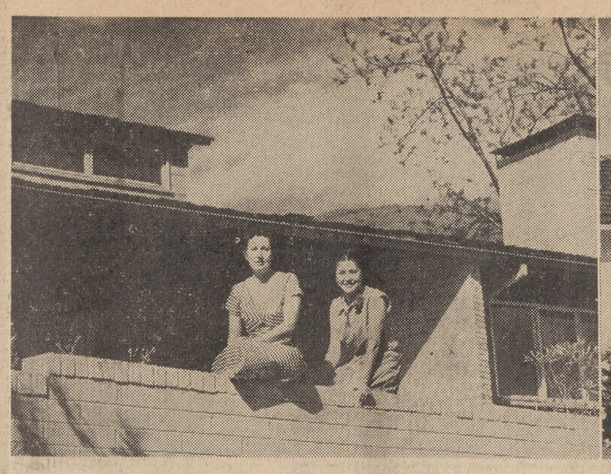
The arrangements committee was made up of Ted and Marian Darger of Martinez and Don and Dorothy Gibson and John and Ethel Leigh of Lafayette.

Native Daughters Plan Card Party

Las Amigas Parlor 311, Native Daughters of the Golden West is planning a card party May 23 at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Leonard Ford, 3362 Johnson Road, Lafayette.

Mrs. Norman Beeston is in charge of arrangements for the affair and announced that there will be prizes galore.

Tickets may be obtained from members of the Parlor or at the door.



HEIDI CHAPTER of the Children's Home Society will conduct a tour of five Happy Valley homes in Lafayette May 27, with proceeds going to the CHS, statewide adoption agency. Mrs. Mildred H. Miner (left), hostess chairman, and Mrs. James Newcomb, one of the hostesses for the tour, are shown before the entrance of the Richard Dailey home, one of those to be visited.

ON THE WALK in front of the W. D. McNevin home, one of the five Happy Valley residences to be open for the Heidi Chapter benefit home tour May 27, are Mrs. J. Wayland Barnette (left), Heidi president, and Mrs. Edwin C. Murray, hostess chairman. In addition to the McNevin and Dailey homes, residences will include those of the Jack Abbotts, Kenneth Shipps and Robert Bridges'.

—Photos by Mattson

GOP Women Plan Art in Action Show At Vad Jelton Home

Mrs. R. K. Smith and Mrs. Stewart Dinwiddie, who are Ways and Means co-chairmen for the Lafayette Republican Women's Club, met Monday to discuss plans for the benefit tea to be held June 4 from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Vad Jelton home in Happy Valley.

FEATURED AT THE tea will be various artists exhibiting their work, in cooperation with the Artists Market. Anyone interested in driftwood sculpture (and who isn't?) will be able to watch Dr. Benes, nephew of the late President of Czechoslovakia, perform virtual magic with his craft.

Kisa Beeck's famous bears in stone will be present, and Edith Dinkin, manager of the Artist's Market has promised to have a representative group of paintings, ranging all the way from oil landscapes and still life to water colors by Royden Martin and Claudia Steel. Those attending the tea will also see the "quick sketch" medium exhibited, and there will be weaving on small looms as well as samples of fabrics especially woven for the Artist's Market.

EXPERTS IN ceramics will be displaying their skills as well as examples of leather craft, mostly in the belt department. All of the articles will be for sale, and may also be found at the Market itself, which is open every week from Tuesday through Thursday from 1 to 4 p.m.

Mrs. Arthur E. Stiefvater of Lafayette has graciously undertaken the job of Refreshment Chairman for the affair. All food will be donated and Mrs. Stiefvater will be on hand that to see that everyone gets his share of sustenance, the price of which is included in the $1.50 ticket.

MRS. JELTON, well on the road to recovery after a serious illness and resuming her job of Secretary of the Lafayette Republican Club says that she hopes there will be a large attendance at the tea, and is delighted that she has the space to accommodate the attendance which is anticipated.

Walnut Creek Teacher To Be Bride

Plans for an August wedding have been revealed by Diane Silveira, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leland E. Silveira of Kensington, and Daniel A. Sammet, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Sammet of Richmond.

The bride-elect is a teacher at Walnut Creek Grammar School. She is a graduate of the University of California at Santa Barbara.

The future groom is studying for his secondary teaching credentials at San Francisco State College.

Their engagement was announced at a recent betrothal party at Lakeside Olympic Club in Oakland.

Hospital Benefit May 24

Santa Maria Branch of the Junior Guild of Providence Hospital will hostess a benefit party May 24 at Seven Oaks Ranch, home of the Thomas J. Morans on St. Mary's Road in Lafayette.

Cocktails will be served from 3 to 6 p.m. on the authentic early California patio of the Moran home.

Mrs. John D. Rarig and Mrs. Thomas J. Moran Jr. are general chairmen for the event. They are assisted by Mrs. Charles B. Neuman Jr. and Mrs. Louis M. Fekete, decorations; Mrs. Clarence A. Lehrmann and Mrs. William G. Robinson, refreshments and Mrs. James A. Rarig ,tickets.

Hostesses include Mesdames John M. O'Brien, Sherman L. Sibley, Harold F. Carlson, Frederick C. Kracke, T. H. Lucas, Edmund L. Macdonald Jr., Sherman C. Coakley, Adolph R. Markstein, John Heuer, Robert H. Pulford, John P. Larsen, George Maxon, Thomas E. Carroll, Walter P. Ruedrich, Richard C. Osmundson, John Heafey Jr., John S. Peacock and Robert Pohl.

The Junior Guild met Tuesday night for a special meeting to complete plans for the cocktail party at the home of Mrs. Charles Neuman on Glenside Drive in Lafayette.

David Theobald Takes Jeanne Willinger as Bride

Jeanne Francis Willinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Willinger of Modesto, became the bride of David J. Theobald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Theobald of Overlook Drive, Walnut Creek, last Saturday at Our Lady of Fatima Church in Modesto.

The Rev. William P. Kennedy officiated at the ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her gown was white Chantilly lace and nylon tulle over satin fashioned with a bouffant skirt and Chapel train. Her illusion veil was attached to a small cap encrusted with seed pearls. She carried a white prayer book and her flowers were white orchids and lily of the valley.

Her sister, Mrs. Henry Curti of Cayucos, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids included Mrs. James Richardson of Walnut Creek, cousin of the bride; Miss Gladys Willinger of Modesto, sister of the bride; Mrs. William Heggli of San Francisco and Mrs. Lawrence Utigard of Sacramento.

The attendants were gowned in white nylon dotted swiss with bouffant skirts and green ribbon sashes. They carried white shasta daisies with ivy and wore garlands of ivy in their hair.

Joe Theobald of Walnut Creek was best man for his brother. Ushers were James Richardson of Walnut Creek, Lawrence Utigard of Sacramento, Leo Buckstader of Palo Alto, Bob Reeves and Tenney Campbell of San Francisco.

The bride's mother was gowned in French blue lace and wore pink orchids.

Mrs. Theobald chose for her son's wedding a pink silk shantung gown and brown orchids.

The bride is a graduate of Modesto Junior College and St. Mary's School of Nursing in San Francisco. She is the neice of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Ramelli of Walnut Creek.

David is a graduate of Northwestern University where he was a member of Triangle Fraternity. He served two and a half years with the army in Europe during World War II and is presently employed in San Francisco.

The Fable Room of the Covell Hotel in Modesto was the scene of the reception following the wedding ceremony.

The bride chose a navy jersey dress trimmed in red and white with a matching stole.

The young couple are honeymooning in Las Vegas and in Mexico. They will be at home at Park Merced in San Francisco after June 1.

Pinnellas Sail for Islands Tomorrow

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Pinnella will sail tomorrow on the Lurline for Honolulu where they will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary.

The Pinnellas live at 3980 South Peardale, Lafayette.

They will be there three weeks and will stay at the Halikulani Hotel on Waikiki Beach. They will return by air.

Their son, Gary, who is attending Washington State College, will join them at home on June 5. He graduated from Acalanes High School last year.

B'nai B'rith Women To Give Dinner

Menorah Charter 636, B'nai B'rith Women, will hold its annual installation of officers dinner and dance at the El Rio Hotel in Antioch Sunday at 6 p. m.

Reservations may be had from Mrs. Allen Vodian, Concord 9706.

Doxsees Move South

Mrs. Earl Doxsee and her small son of Valley Drive, Orinda, have joined Mr. Doxsee in Los Angeles, where the family will make its home now.

Van Bishops Arrive

Mr. and Mrs. Van Bishop and their three youngsters have moved from Oakland to their new home on Manzanita Avenue in Orinda.

D.A.R. Hears Regent Speak

The Acalanes Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution met May 4 at the home of Mrs. Ernest F. Ford, Bayer Circle, Lafayette.

After rituals were observed the treasurer's report was read and approved. Mrs. Ann Bennett, Mrs. Evelyn Young and Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Knoble were appointed a committee to look into the selection of proper books to be given to the school library by the chapter.

Mrs. Kay Dewey, who has been in New York for the past two years, told of her visit to the D. A. R. continental hall in Washington, D. C.

The balance of the afternoon was given over to Mrs. Eleanor Lyon, Regent, who was a delegate to the 62nd Continental Congress of the D. A. R. recently held in Washington, D. C., and who was also one of 30 women delegates to the Republican Women's Convention in Washington.

She told of her experiences, including the opportunity she had to meet Mrs. Dwight Eisenhower, who was hostess at a tea given in the White House.

Teapots Shown at Tea

Teapots, all sizes and shapes and from practically every country in the world were exhibited at the Teapot Tea, sponsored by Mt. Diablo and Orinda Mills College Clubs, held Wednesday at the Walnut Creek home of Mrs. Peter Howard.

Mrs. Rudolph Thirion, Mills alumnae historian, commented on the teapot collection of Susan Tolman Mills, one of the college's founders. Hostesses were attired in early day costumes carrying out the theme of the Mills centennial celebration.

Proceeds from the event will go into the Mills College Second Century Fund.

Mrs. J. Blaker Herod and Mrs. Richard Copenhagen were general co-chairmen of the tea.

Medical Auxiliary Makes Plans for Annual Flower Ball

Contra Costa Unit of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Alameda-Contra Costa Medical Association held a recent meeting at the home of Mrs. M. C. Bolender of Bear Creek Road in Orinda to discuss plans for the annual Flower Ball to be held soon at Diablo Country Club.

Proceeds from the Flower Ball, which the local unit sponsors, will go toward scholarship aid to Contra Costa girls who desire to become nurses. All high school girls in the county are contacted each year and scholarships are awarded on the basis of need, scholastic ability and personal aptitude. Although high school girls have been the main source of applicants, any girl who can meet training school requirements is eligible for scholarship.

Mrs. Holman Named Garden Section Head

Mrs. Earnest C. Holman was elected chairman for the coming year of the Garden Section of the Walnut Creek Women's Club when they met recently at their club house. Mrs. Walter Weinzheimer was elected co-chairman.

Gardens at the homes of Mesdames Allan Lathan, T. Ramsing, J. A. Dewing, D. Lawlor, I. Hodges, C. M. Conklin, D. B. Welch, A. T. Miles and C. F. Rayment were visited after the business meeting. Tea was served at Mrs. Rayment's home.

The committee in charge of the meeting were Mrs. C. F. Rayment, Mrs. W. Weinzheimer and Mrs. Istbelle McGeehon.

Last Assembly Dance

The last Diablo Assembly dance for the 1953 spring series was held last Friday at the Contra Costa Country Club.

Students from Acalanes, Las Lomas, Alhambra, San Ramon and Mt. Diablo High Schools danced to the music of Henry Gallagher's Orchestra.

This one was semi-formal.

Catholic Women To Hold Fashion Show Tomorrow

Women of Pleasant Hill's New Christ the King Church will sponsor a dessert fashion show to be held tomorrow afternoon on the terrace of the church.

Mrs. John J. McNally is general chairman and Mrs. Karl Weber will be commentator. Mrs. Richard Kuhlman is in charge of reservations.

Members of the group modeling town and country fashions include Mesdames John Wiegand, Robert Stice, Chalmers Hastings, George Smith, Thomas Dunne, Ed Gilbertson, Charles Milburn, Bob Ferraris, Kenneth Gladding and Martin Jacobs.

Also modeling will be teenagers Diane McMulin, Sherie Rollins and Joyce Venturini.

Child models will be Bonnie Patterson, Maureen Daly, Mary Lynn Larscheid, Wendy Martin, Kathy Howard, Jennifer Friedenbach, Sandra Teverbaugh, Paulette St. Jean, Sharon Thigpen, Karen Gillette, Barbara McNally and Vicki Brown.

Ann Loucks Chapter Plans Flag Honors

Ann Loucks Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution furthered plans for Flag Day observance in their regular monthly meeting held Saturday at the home of Mrs. H. L. Drury and her daughter, Mrs. Kendric French, on Live Oak Way.

Miss Norma L. Warner, chapter regent, presided. Following a 1 p. m. luncheon served by the hostesses, members heard reports from the April Congress of the National Society.

Flag Day will be observed at the final meeting of the year, June 13. Tentative plans include a joint picnic meeting with the Edmund Randolph Chapter of Martinez.

Tanager Unit Party At Diablo Country Club Big Success

Guests who attended the party given by the Tanager Auxiliary to the Mt. Diablo Therapy Center May 6 at the Diablo Country Club are hoping that it will be an annual affair.

They left the party with miniature hat boxes overflowing with mementoes of little lipsticks, perfumes, sachets, sigarettes and wine.

Mrs. W. D. Coleman and her decorating committee had transformed the dining room into an array of spring flowers, featuring huge sprays of white hydrangeas.

THE PRESIDENT, Mrs. Alan Waddell, with Mrs. Ida Zamlock, welcomed the guests as they arrived and a group of hostesses seated everyone at tables arranged by the reservation committee, Mrs. Berton Kohler and Mrs. Zach Montgomery.

Mrs. Dan Carter, ways and means chairman, can well be proud of the luncheon and the many prizes, among which were a week's vacation to Seymour Ranch and a provincial lamp provided by Downs Interiors of Orinda.

MANY OF THE guests welcomed the opportunity of ordering attractive redwood planters made by the men of the sheltered workshop at the Therapy Center.

Mrs. Robert Boyle and Mrs. Francis Wyatt, in charge of ticket sales, reported that the party will insure a generous contribution to the rehabilitation work at the center.

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SPRING TEA of the Orinda Republican Women's Club will be held Wednesday at the Woodland Lodge home of Mrs. Harvey B. Lyon in Lafayette. Planning the affair are, left to right, Mrs. Charles L. Smith, Mrs. Lyon, Mrs. J. Aubrey Sweet and Mrs. Thomas Barrows, club president.

— SUN Photo by Mattson

MRS. STEFFAN VORENKAMP, left, and Mrs. Bob Ferraris, right, give SUN readers a preview of the clothes they will model for the Christ the King Catholic Church fashion show. To accent summer suburban living, the show will be held tomorrow afternoon at the church.

— SUN Photo by Harry Young

Quaker Clothing Drive Winds Up As Huge Success

Chalked up this week as an outstanding success was the annual clothing drive in this area by the American Friends Service Committee for relief of needy civilians in Korea.

In Walnut Creek and Orinda the drive closed last Saturday. The clothing, shoes and soap which had been contributed were sent to the Berkeley office of the Friends for sorting and repair before being shipped overseas.

Amounts were not immediately reported.

IN LAFAYETTE, the qualtity of clothing exceeded three tons, according to Mrs. Harriett Davis, drive chairman in Lafayette.

This figure was estimated on the basis of some 10,500 garments turned in, since 3500 garments are estimated to the ton.

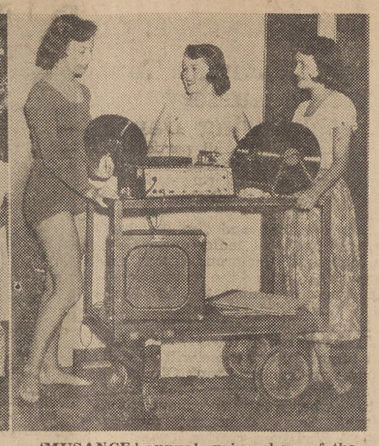
A group of men worked several hours Wednesday night loading the clothing into the large van of Orchard Nursery, which then transported it to the Friends warehouse in San Francisco, where it will await the first available ship to Korea.

MRS. DAVIS STATED that the Potters Wheel in Lafayette will constitute a permanent depot for clothing in the Quaker relief effort. "The need continues and will continue, and we are grateful for any help in meeting it," Russell Jorgensen of the Friends Service Committee said.

Mrs. Davis described Lafayette's response as "magnificent." "Everybody helped and everybody was glad to help," she said. "I think we have every reason to feel proud of our community."

SEEN ABOVE ARE THE WINNERS of the Contra Costa County Branch of the Music Teachers Association Third Annual Music Festival. They presented a concert in Parkmead Elementary School recently. They are, left to right: First Row — Joan Payne, Bonnie Wilson, Dixie Lee, Sherry Prada, Steven Johnson, Judith Rogers, Thomas Cooper, Sharon Stanton, Julie Dunkle, Melissa Wilson; Second Row — Melvin Clinch, Francyle Willis, Nellie Neighbor, Robert Cole, Billy Dodd, David Price, Priscilla Grover, Joan Fowkes, Ernie Fox; Third Row — Max Eckhardt, Nancy Veitch, Judy Knowles, Nadine Noecker, Sharon Eggerts, Carla Gambino, Julia French, Karen Mastne, Woodbury Grover, Marie Brereton, Anna Oldano, Janet French and Sharon Dougherty.

— Photo by Jack Groth



'MUSANCE,' annual spring show of the Acalanes High School band, mixed chorus and modern dance group, will be given at 8 o'clock tonight in the Don auditorium. Checking over the musical props are, left to right, Diane Robertson, Judy Hall and Jackie Costa.

—Acalanes News Service photo

Music Teachers Donate Tickets To Concerts

The Contra Costa Branch of the Music Teacher's Association held a board meeting in the studio of Miss Virginia Blair of Lafayette May 6.

Attending the meeting were Grace Warner, Itala Gambino, Leonore Lundholm, Lillian Burford, Doris Norman, Clara King Floyd, Virginia Blair and Peg Winters.

The association plans to contribute five student tickets for the coming Community Concert Tickets. These tickets will be left with the heads of the music departments in the following schools:

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43 Girl Scouts Will Receive Curved Bar Award

Forty-three girls will receive their Curved Bar Awards this year from the Diablo Valley Area Girl Scout Council.

This is the highest award given to Intermediate girl scouts. The Curved Bar Panel, composed of nine members passes on the work submitted by the girls, and according to the panel the work submitted this year was exceptionally fine.

The Curved Bar ceremony will be at Acalanes High School, May 28 at 8 p.m. under the direction of Mrs. John Kirby, Chairman of the Panel.

The Panel is composed of a representative from each area: Danville, Mrs. A. M. Hafsal; Lafayette, Mrs. John Kropholler; Pleasant Hill, Mrs. H. S. Glidden; Orinda, Mrs. Bryce Boyer; Mrs. Ona Louise Miller, Walnut Creek. Mrs. Margaret Duling is the Area Program Chairman.

The girls receiving this award are: Orinda, Becky Harris, Jerry Moriarty, Cathy Scheville. Lafayette, Karen Betaque, Julie Dees, Cheryl Etzler, Drury Ann Spurlock, Robin Akers, Peggy Bird, Sherril Lercari, Bonnie Adair, Joan Evans, Lynn Hail, Carolyn Peterson, Ann Sontag.

Danville, Carolyn Raynor, Patsy Tomlin, Jo Ann Hutton, Frances Vassallo, Joan Rasmussen, Karen Anderson, Patsy Ellis.

Pleasant Hill, Nancy Michelson, Moonyeen Spiher.

Walnut Creek, Judy Anderson, Cheryl Bouick, Deanna Dinkin, Kathy O'Neal, Pat Laverty, Juana Bush, Wendy Kidwell, Delores Walker, Phyllis Garbutt, Sharon Stanton, Jane Berry, Carol Eiseman, Marjorie Johnson.

Volunteer Gray Ladies Needed

Gray Ladies are needed for volunteer work at Parks Air Force Base Hospital, according to the Mt. Diablo Chapter of the American Red Cross.

At the hospital Gray Ladies are needed for personal services such as distributing comfort articles, writing letters, reading and visiting with patients. They are needed for recreation activities such as planning ward parties, escorting entertainment groups through the wards and organizing games and other entertainment for the patients.

Women between the ages of 21 and 55 who are interested and have their own transportation, please call Mt. Diablo Chapter, American Red Cross, at YEllowstone 5-5817, or Mrs. Marylin Cottle, YEllowstone 4-6196, to arrange for an interview before Wednesday.

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Don Students to Elect Officers Next Friday

Shades of the national political scene last November appeared on the Acalanes High School campus this week as students girded themselves for an intensive student body officer election.

Juniors Don Rathjen and Bob Gray are contesting the seat of student body president. Others running for student office include Jack Tomlinson, Boyd Watkins and Art Deleray for vice-president; Carolyn Demeter and Naida Merry for secretary; Sue Small and Lorraine Durante for social secretary, and Pui Garrison, Chris Swanson and Terry White for student treasurer.

Election date is set for May 22, with a runoff on May 25, if the need arises.

Building Union to Meet Contractors

Representatives of the American Federation of Labor Carpenters Union will meet with representatives of the Associated General Contractors Thursday to seek renewal of the contract between the two.

If a deadlock is reached and a strike should follow, virtually every construction job requiring carpenters in the area would be stopped.

Members of Central Contra Costa County Carpenters Local 2046 adopted a policy of "no contract, no work" at a recent meeting.

Contra Costa County is among the 42 counties involved in the dispute between carpenters and the Associated General Contractors.

George H. Weise, business agent for the local union, explained that the membership empowered officials "to use their own judgment on when to exercise the policy."

'Tom Sawyer' on Stage Tomorrow

The East Bay Children's Theater will present its last play of the season, "Tom Sawyer," at Acalanes High School tomorrow at 2 p.m. Tickets will be on sale at the door.

"Tom Sawyer" will be produced by the students of Oakland High School under the direction of W. R. Hudson.

Chairman of the stage sets is Mrs. Kent Hansen and Mrs. David Dugan is in charge of costumes. Those assisting with the production include Mesdames Philip Merrill and Walter Mulally of Walnut Creek, Ross Reagan and Bernard Kaplan of Lafayette and Mark Snover of Orinda.

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Red Cross Care Of Sick Course To Begin May 26

Mt. Diablo Chapter of the American Red Cross will hold a Home Care of the Sick course at the Chapter house on Ygnacio Valley Road in Walnut Creek beginning May 26 at 7:30 p.m., according to Mrs. L. A. Rogers, chairman of the nursing services. Classes will continue twice a week Tuesdays and Thursdays until June 16.

The course includes information on how to recognize signs and symptoms of illness and how to report them to the doctor. How to keep a patient clean, comfortable and well nourished. How to control communicable diseases plus care of injuries and illnesses frequently met in emergency situations and how to use community health services.

The chapter has stressed that one in every family should be familiar with the care of the sick. For further information call YEllowstone 5-5817.

CAP Squadron to Hear Inspector

The Mt. Diablo Squadron of the Civil Air Patrol will hear Kent Davis, Civil Aeronautics Inspector, at its meeting Thursday at Buchanan Field.

The meeting was arranged by Lieutenant Coral Bloom, training officer, and will be held at 8 p. m.

Jaycees to Sponsor Driving Contest

The Mt. Diablo Area Junior Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a teen-age "Road-e-o" at Acalanes High School May 23 at 10 a.m. to promote safe driving among high school students.

The "road-e-o" will name the communities' most skillful teen-age drivers. Richard Emery, Jaycee president, said that the top winner of the "Road-e-o" will compete in a statewide contest at Vallejo in June.

THE WINNER OF the state finals will compete in the national contest in Washington, D. C. Sponsors of the national teen-age "Road-e-o" are the U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Liberty Mutual Insurance Company.

Ed Bjorstadt, general chairman of the local "Road-e-o" said the Jaycees will supervise the contest on local, state and national levels. Competition will include contests in parking, driving in traffic, knowledge of traffic laws and several points of safe driving.

Teen-agers who have been guilty of a moving violation during a six-month period before the contest will not be allowed to enter.

"Rules o fthe 'Road-e-o' emphasize the skills needed for safe driving in everyday life. We think some of America's best drivers are in their teens, and the contest will give teen-agers a chance to prove it," he added.

All teen-agers who have drivers' licenses will be eligible. Those interested in competing should contact John McLean, driving instructor at Acalanes High School.

The Mt. Diablo Area Junior Chamber of Commerce will present a perpetual trophy to the Acalanes winner to be placed in the school and a miniature of the trophy to be personally kept by the winner.

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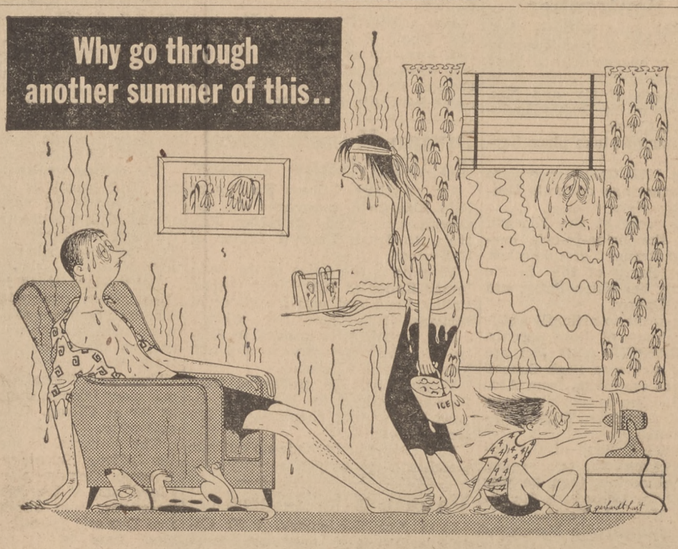

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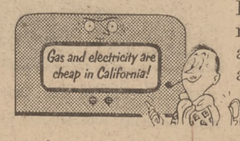

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Two Champion Swim Teams Meet Today

The Acalanes Dons face another busy week.

The swimmers start it off when they travel to Marin County today for a meet with highly rated Tamalpais High, which reigns as champion of the North Bay League.

The Dons are champions of the Contra Costa circuit, and it will be a clash of champions. The meet starts at 3 p.m.

DESPITE TAMALPAIS High's reputation, the Dons rate the favorite role in both Varsity and Bee divisions.

Coach Lee Arth's powerful squads look to be the best in the history of Acalanes and have a good chance of emerging North Coast champions—something they have never achieved.

They try for the jackpot next Friday and Saturday, May 22 and 23, when they do their stuff in the North Coast Meet at Santa Clara.

TOMORROW TRACK takes the spotlight when the squads participate in the North Coast Meet at Edwards Field in Berkeley, with the events getting under way at 1 p.m. sharp.

The Dons are certain to garner points in Varsity and Bee divisions, but lack depth enough to have any hopes of hitting the winners' circle at the meet.

ON TUESDAY the Acalanes Varsity baseball team will travel to Concord for a return engagement with Mt. Diablo High.

Diablo won a close 5-4 decision in an earlier game, and the Dons will be out to avenge themselves by copping this one.

On Thursday the J.V. nine will meet Diablo's Little Devils at Concord. Each won one in previous outings, and this one will decide the three-game series.

ON THE SAME DAY the Don Varsity baseball team hosts John Swett. The Dons cracked out 18 hits in their first meeting with the Swett Indians but took an extra inning to score an 8-7 win.

The Dons have the advantage of home field and should win here, although the teams are so close that nothing is a certainty—in other words, a Crockett win would not class as an upset.

GOLF GETS INTO the swing of things next Friday with the big County Meet taking place at the Diablo Country Club course.

Coach Wilbur Twining's crew has tasted nothing but victory to date and the lads are top-heavy favorites to defend successfully their county title.

It looks like the Dons will capture the crown—and by a wide margin, as no one has given them anything but minor opposition to date.

SHOWN IN ACTION in a recent Antioch game is one of the top Don horsehiders, Bob Gray. In photo at the left Gray snags a peg from Bart Ferro, background, to put out an erstwhile Panther hitter. At the right Gray storms over home while a befuddled Antioch catcher calls out to the pitcher's mound looking for the ball.

—Acalanes Blueprint photo

Golfers Tee Off For Orinda Meet

The Orinda Country Club will be the scene of the Northern California Golf Association 48th Annual Amateur Championship this weekend and next.

The tournament play opens Sunday with qualifying rounds being shot today and tomorrow.

Among those members of the Country Club who have registered are Dave Cranston, Hi Hennings, Don E. Doten, Arnold Jerome, John M. Pruner, William D. McNevin and A. G. Hammond.

In all, 177 entrants have registered with the association.

In order to enter the tournament a golfer must hold a Northern California Golf Association handicap card, have a handicap of 20 or under, belong to a membership club and qualify.

Ninety-six players can qualify out of the 177 who have entered.

According to Frank Denicasa, assistant professional at the Orinda Country Club, the course has been made as long and as hard as possible.

He commented that it is in the best shape it has been for a long time due to the late spring rains.

The winner of the tournament will receive the Stuart Hawley Memorial trophy for a year. In addition there will be compotes, and a medal to the medalist, the golfer who shoots the lowest net score. There will also be a medal for the low actual score golfer.

Come to the Workshop Fiesta auction in Lafayette Plaza Friday night at 9.

Richmond Raps Don JV Nine 7-0

A shutout defeat was suffered Monday by the Acalanes Junior Varsity baseball team when the Richmond High Juniors rapped the Dons 7-0 in a game played on the Acalanes diamond.

The Dons could collect but 4 hits over the 7-inning route, with Warren Johnson getting two singles in two tries.

John Conley and Pee Wee Silveira accounted for the other two hits.

Vikings 2nd in League Standings

There was no change for the East Contra Costa Junior College Vikings this week over last year in the Coast Conference baseball standings.

Last season, Coach Hugo Boschetti's Vikings finished second and last Saturday, the green and grey nine concluded the '53 campaign as league runners-up following a split with College of Marin at Kentfield.

The Vikes clinched by winning the 9-inning opener 9-5, as ex-Acalanes ace Bob Borghesani starred both on the mound and at the plate.

Boschetti then proceeded to play his reserves in the nightcap and wound up with a 9-5 defeat but it did not affect the final standings.

Contra Costa ended the year with an overall 10-7 record and 5-3 in league competition. Hartnell won the pennant after sweeping two from the Vikings two weeks ago for a 7-1 record.

It's wiser, easier and thriftier to do your shopping at home. Why look elsewhere?

Acalanes Mermen Outpaddle Devils

The Acalanes swim teams' trip home from the Diablo High pool Tuesday afternoon was a pleasant one.

They had copped a two-way win over the Diablo Devils and had broken two records in the process.

THE VARSITY checked in with a smashing 54-19 win, while the Bees eked out a 34-32 victory.

The Don Varsity took every first place in the swimming events, with Diablo's lone win coming in the diving.

A NEW VARSITY record was set in the 150-yard medley relay when Jim Small, Brooks de Laneux and Charles Knobel toured the distance in 1:28.1.

In the Bee meet, Coach Arth did a bit of experimenting in different events and almost had their applecart upset when they were disqualified in the relay.

The Don Babes set a record of their own with Tim Freeman, Jack Gray and Mike Small taking the 75-yard medley in :43.1.

Sideline Slants

North Coast Track Meet Tomorrow Will Be Northern Preps' Big Annual Event

By ERWIN MATTSON

THE NORTH COAST TRACK Meet takes place at Edwards Field in Berkeley tomorrow.

Track fans will be out en masse to see the cream of the crop as far as Northern California prep track is concerned.

It will be the limelight for the Northern preps, and they will make the most of it, as history appears ready to repeat itself as far as the State Meet is concerned.

By repeating, I mean the domination of track by Southern California.

Each year the Southland practically sweeps the field, and on more than one occasion the North has failed to take a single first place.

Some will rise to the occasion and exceed their previous best in the North Coast Meet, while others will fold under the strain of top competition.

ONE OF THE BEST in Northern California has been the miler by the name of Pete Weisser from Mt. Diablo High, a transfer from Illinois.

Pete recently broke a county league record set back in 1930. He ran around 4:37, and up to last weekend that was the state's best.

Pete disqualified himself, however, when he failed to compete in last week's North Coast Subsection Meet at Diablo.

It seems as though he gets to many "butterflies" prior to a race and had to withdraw in a previous dual meet with Pittsburg for the same reason.

A certain amount of nervousness is normal and usually necessary for a top performance, but it is questionable if an individual should compete when he reaches such a state that he can't go on.

On Pete's shoulders rested one of Northern California's best chances for a number one spot in the State meet, but that has gone now, since Pete failed to run last Saturday.

AMERICAN LEGION baseball starts in the near future.

As usual, Lafayette Post 517 is entering a team and appears to have a fine representative club coming up, with good all-around team balance and strength.

The Lafayette post is the only post outside of Richmond that has entered a team every year, and it is to be congratulated for its fine and continuous support of Legion ball.

John Jones and yours truly have handled the team over the past several seasons, but this year it will be all John Jones, as yours truly takes off for a long-planned trip to Europe at the close of school in mid-June.

Jones is a top-flight baseball man, with the ability to impart knowledge and enthusiasm to the players. That results in top performance.

It's to be hoped that a good number of fans get out to the Saturday and Sunday games. The schedule will be released very shortly.

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Don Trackmen in North Coast Meet At UC Tomorrow

The Acalanes Varsity and Bee track teams will send 10 representatives to the North Coast Track Meet at Edwards Field on the University of California campus in Berkeley tomorrow.

In the Varsity division Mike White will be entered in the high jump.

Mike qualified by hitting 5 feet 10 inches for the number 2 spot, behind Hayward's sensational sophomore, Bob Dailey, who leaped 6 feet, 4¼ inches in the Subsection Meet at Diablo last Saturday.

RAY WILLIAMSON copped the blue ribbon with his 52-foot, 8-inch heave of the iron ball last Saturday. He'll try to repeat tomorrow.

His main opposition looks to be Grinnols of El Cerrito, who has a season's best of over 54 feet but had to be content with second when he fell under 52 feet last Saturday.

JIM HART, with a fourth in the shot put and a third in the discus last week, will attempt to better his position tomorrow.

His best chance seems to be in the discus, where he has one of Northern California's best marks.

DICK LEE tied for fifth in the pole vault in the subsection meet, then won the toss for the ribbon and with it the right to compete tomorrow.

Dick Twomey complete the Varsity lineup as he takes his turn in the high jump.

He tied in that event last week with Phil Glasper of Pittsburg for third at 5 feet, 9 inches.

IN THE BEES Jim Sweet has had leg trouble all week but will probably be ready to go in the 70-yard high hurdles, an event he won last week with a fast 9:5.

Geoffry Wahl takes a crack at the 330-yard dash. He's rated one of the favorites, as his times have been consistently fast.

FRED LINCOLN looms as a certain point-getter and a possible winner in the 1320-yard run.

He placed second to Hayward's Ron Stroud, who ran a 3:27.4 in the Diablo sub meet.

Air Reservists Tour Submarine

Members of the 9441st Volunteer Air Reserve Squadron saw how the other half lives at a recent field trip to the Alameda Naval Station where they toured a submarine.

The reservists are currently studying air defense problems in meetings from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m. at squadron headquarters, 2040 Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Walnut Creek.

Squadron commander, J. G. Knowland, urges all reservists to attend every meeting.

Don Batmen Lose Another League Game by One Run

In what appears to be fast becoming a habit, the Acalanes Varsity baseball team dropped a league tilt to the Alhambra Bulldogs by a one run margin in a game played on the Martinez diamond on May 7.

THE DONS started well enough when they opened the second inning by scoring three runs on four hits paced by triples off the bats of Bart Ferro and Dale Isaacs.

The picture changed quickly however as Alhambra came back strong in the bottom half of the inning to score six runs on a walk, two errors, a batter hit by the pitcher and two walks.

THE STORY was told when Alhambra tallied the winning run in the third after left fielder Ray Eisele led off with a triple and trotted home when center fielder John Champlin muffed a fly ball.

Rick Johnson had been relieved by Red Jones midway in the second inning and went on to shut the gate after the lone run in the third.

Ben Strickland had started on the mound for Alhambra and Jack Jordan came in to relieve him in the third and went the rest of the way to shut the Dons out and earn the 7-6 win.

FERRO WITH two for four and Dale Isaacs with two for three accounted for a good share of the Dons' 7 hits with Alhambra counting a like number.

In the error department the Dons had four to the winners' one.

Dons Pick Sports Queen of Spring

Acalanes Dons picked Kathy Vale, Acalanes sophomore and daughter of Mr .and Mrs. James T. Vale, Walnut Creek, Miss Acalanes, Queen of Spring Sports for 1953.

Kathy, a demure brunette, led a field of several contestants to win the honors in the queen race sponsored by the Acalanes school paper, the Blueprint.

The queen will receive approximately $100 in prizes donated by merchants of Walnut Creek, Lafayette and Orinda. She will be crowned at the next Acalanes spring sports rally at the high school.

Runners-up in the contest were Rae Littlejohn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Littlejohn, Orinda, and Sue Panela, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Panella, Orinda.

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Pirate Varsity Nine Scuttles Acalanes, 7-3

The Acalanes Varsity dropped a 7-3 baseball game to the Pittsburg Pirates Tuesday afternoon at the Steel City Park.

Pittsburg took the lead when Paul Glasper, leadoff man, was walked in the opening frame and went to third on Al Trapps' single, from where he scored when Ray Di Mecurio singled.

THE DONS came into the lead in the second inning when singles by Benny Edgar and Bob Dwight, along with Jerry Henderson's double and Rick Johnson's walk, paid off with two runs, giving Acalanes a 2-1 edge.

Pitt came back to score two more in the third on a hit and two Don errors, and put Acalanes on the short end of a 3-2 count.

The game was all tied up in the fourth when pinch runner Bob Kinney scored from second on an error by Pittsburg's second baseman.

RICK JOHNSON had started on the mound for the Dons, and all was well until the sixth, when Johnson was hit by a line drive off the bat of Paul Glasper after the bases had been loaded via an error, walk and hit.

Johnson then walked the next run in and was replaced by John Olcott, who retired the side, but only after Pitt had scored four runs for the inning, which proved more than enough for the win.

BENNY EDGAR and Bob Dwight led the Don hitters, with each hitting two for two.

The Dons had 9 hits to Pittsburg's 8, while committing 4 errors to Pittsburg's 2.

City League Ball Clubs Warm Up In Practice Games

Pre-season practice games in the Walnut Creek City Park brought two wins and two defeats to city league softballers early this week.

As Les Frost underhanded a total of 13 innings, Grodins slaughtered the National Guard 49ers of Martinez 10-1 and dropped the second half of the double-header to Forbrag's Realtors 2-1 Tuesday night.

Frost allowed four hits in each game. Grodins earned 11 hits from former teammate Hal Gray of the 49ers.

Mel Macial drove in a homer while Hube Trost, Johnny Morris, Del Roman and Frost each singled twice. Al Tourville, Will Hall, Don Pino and Joe Soares clubbed one-baggers for the 49ers.

Al Heasel yielded four hits as he pitched the nightcap victory for the Realtors. The land men tallied both runs in the bottom of the sixth when Ray Nivola drove in Phil Churchill and Lefty Gallagher with a double.

In a big third inning the Yacht Club Tavern nine of Martinez scored six runs to put them on top of a 6-4 score against Tiny's Hut Monday night.

Tiny's led at the end of the second with one run. The Yachters worked Tiny hurler Harry Dunham for three walks and three singles in the third to give them a 6-1 lead.

In the bottom of the third Bill Rupp started a three-run Hut rally wih a homer, but Yacht pitcher Red Edison held the locals to two hits and no runs for the rest of the contest.

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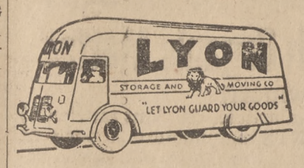

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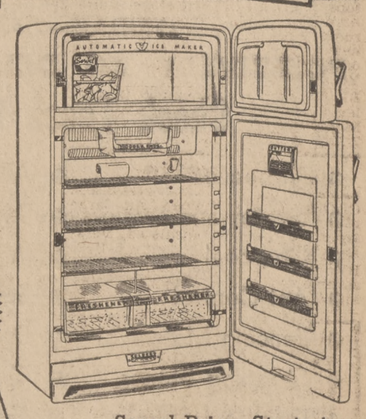

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Local Gardeners Get Rewards From Flower Show

The California Spring Garden Show, presented every year in Oakland, is indeed a gathering of the most choice blooms gardeners can manage, and it is also an exhibit of the finest in taste in table settings and flower arrangements.

Central Contra Costa County residents and organizations contributed many exhibits and many blooms to the show, which closed last Friday, and as always, came up wth some whch were judged outstandng, even amongst such outstanding competition.

An outdoor dining area and fire pit in the Hawaiian mode were arranged by the Orinda Garden Club. The exhibit took a first place in the over-all exhibit class.

On a lawn next to a circular fire pit was a low luau table, set with wooden plates. A center arrangement of pineapple and other fruit added color to the setting. Coral cushions piped with Nile green piping were placed around the table.

Orchard Nursery in Lafayette came up with a sure first place winner with their exhibit of African violets. They have been recognized for years as outstanding in the field and they presented a setting by the main lagoon that was swarming with countless varieties of the flowers.

McDonnell Nursery of Oakland and Walnut Creek was awarded a first place ribbon for its display of a contemporary garden and the Sunset Nursery of Oakland and Danville got a first place for a southern colonial terrace.

Acalanes Gardens of Lafayette, specialists in iris, received a blue ribbon for their display of naturalistic iris in great variety.

Christian Science Sermon – 'Mortals And Immortals'

"Mortals and Immortals" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Christian Science churches on Sunday.

As part of the sermon the following verses will be read from Paul's Epistle to the Ephesians:

For ye were sometimes darkness, but now are ye light in the Lord: walk as children of light: Proving what is acceptable unto the Lord" (5:8, 10).

Correlative citations from the Christian Science textbook "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, will include this passage:

"The true idea of God gives the true understanding of Life and Love, robs the grave of victory, takes away all sin and the delusion that there are other minds, and destroys mortality" (p. 323).

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Concert Series Member Drive Closes Tomorrow

Opening with a kickoff dinner for 80-odd persons Monday evening at the Four Corners, the annual drive of the Acalanes Community Concerts under way this week.

Present for business reasons was Miss Hester Grimm of the New York office of Community Concerts. Present for reasons of entertainment was the Walnut Creek Lions Club Male Quartet, consisting of Leland Russell, bass; Lyman Stoddard, second tenor; Warren Swing, baritone; Donald Judd, first tenor.

Also present was a girls' trio from Acalanes High School made up of Barbara Miller, Beverley Abbie and Pat McCurdy.

THESE TWO MUSICAL groups gave the diners a small sample of the sort of fine things they might hear in the concerts they are selling.

Following the dinner, more than 100 people have been active in this area trying to make sure that those who want to hear concerts next winter get memberships now.

ALL SALES will close at noon tomorrow. The money will be counted and the artists who will appear at Acalanes next season will be selected.

Oscar Busch (YE 4-9010) will be able to supply the name of the salesman in your neighborhood, should you have been missed.

High School Parents to See Pupils Perform

Student talent acts that have drawn most applause at school assemblies during the year will be given at the Monday night meeting of the Acalanes Parents Club in the school cafeteria, it was announced by Mrs. Donald Krotz, program chairman.

The only other activity on the program will be installation of new officers, who will be headed by Mrs. Krotz. She succeeds Fred Knobel of Lafayette.

Student Vice President Rick Johnson is in charge of arrangements for the talent show, which will feature an enactment of "Dragnet," with a student cast of eight headed by Dave Grieves, Bob Wall and Orville Gordon.

Others performing for the parents include Sharon Eggerts, who will sing a solo; the Barbara Miller trio, which includes Bev Abbie and Pat McCurdy; Gary Graves, singer; Lyn Teasdel, yodeler; the Jumping Jacks, including Dino Pozzobon, accordionist, Ben Randall, drums, and a guest from Diablo, Bill Walbridge, marimbaist.

Dog Obedience Trials To Be Held Sunday

Jack C. Moore Jr., show secretary for the Oakland Dog Training Club, Inc., announces the club's third annual A.K.C. license All-Breed Obedience Trial to be held Sunday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at East Shore Park, MacArthur Boulevard and Grand Avenue at Lakeshore Boulevard, Oakland.

Your Garden

Some Plants May Starve for Nitrogen On Soil Holding Much Organic Matter

By BERT WRIGHT

(This is the first of a series of articles on plant nutrients.)

ALTHOUGH GREEN PLANTS manufacture 93 per cent of their own "food" requirements, they must obtain the remaining 5 to 7 per cent of their nutrient requirements in the soil.

These essential elements are 12 in number—nitrogen, phosphorus, potassium, calcium, sulphur, magnesium, boron, copper, manganese, zinc, iron and molybdenum.

Soils vary widely in their ability to furnish all of these nutrients in adequate and balanced quantities; hence the need for regular application of complete plant foods to our yards and gardens.

NITROGEN IS often called "the growth element" since it stimulates lush green growth.

Unlike other elements, native soil nitrogen exists largely as a constituent of organic matter. Through decomposition of the organic matter by soil organisms, the nitrogen is changed into forms available to plants.

Since the decomposition is caused by living organisms, nitrogen availability in the soil is influenced by temperature, moisture and aeration.

THUS THE SUPPLY is extremely variable and explains why plants sometimse are found to be starving for nitrogen on soil which is high in organic matter.

This occurs generally during cold, wet seasons and sometimes during dry periods in the most fertile soil.

Nitrogen deficiency results in stunted growth and chlorosis (loss of green color). The leaves first become light green and gradually yellow. The oldest leaves on the plant—those nearest the ground on an upright plant—are first affected.

PLANT FOOD supplies nitrogen in three or more chemical forms of varying rates of availability to plants.

Even so, nitrogen is the element most rapidly used by plants or leached from the soil by rainfall, and in order to make sure that your garden is amply supplied with nitrogen and the other nutrients all through the growing season, it is a good idea to make supplemental feedings during the summer with easily applied material such as the water-soluble or dry form plant foods.

IF YOU HAVE suspected nitrogen deficiencies in your garden, do not attempt to remedy the situation with a one-shot application of a fertilizer very high in nitrogen.

In this case, the cure can be worse than the ailment, since heavy nitrogen dosage can cause an unbalanced nutrient status and may intensify deficiencies of other elements.

Four Musicals Coming to S.F.

Four musicals have been planned by the San Francisco Civic Light Opera Association to run at the Curran Theater during the coming season starting June 1.

Rodgers and Hammerstein's "Carousel" will launch the season, followed by "The Great Waltz," "Carnival in Flanders" and "Kismet."

Starring in these numbers will be such personalities as Dorothy Kirsten, Alfred Drake, Dolores Gray, Bill Johnson and John Charles Thomas.

Each production will run four weeks.

County Bond OK'd In Light Voting

In a light vote, Contra Costans on Tuesday gave the required two-thirds approval for a $1,350,000 county bond issue for construction of a county office building in Richmond.

The vote in the special election was: Yes, 15,843; no, 7325. The affirmative vote was 398 more than the two-thirds necessary for bond issue approval.

In Richmond, where a city election was held the same day, the voting was heaviest and was the deciding factor for the bond issue. Forty per cent of registered Richmond voters turned out. First Supervisorial District vote on the bonds was: Yes, 10,620; no 4697.

In the other four supervisorial districts, the bond issue vote was: Yes, 5223; no, 2628. This was 11 short of two-thirds.

Throughout the county, 33 per cent of the registered voters cast their ballots.

Nurserymen Hold Chapter Meeting

The Central Chapter of the California Association of Nurserymen met at El Rancho Grande in Lafayette Tuesday.

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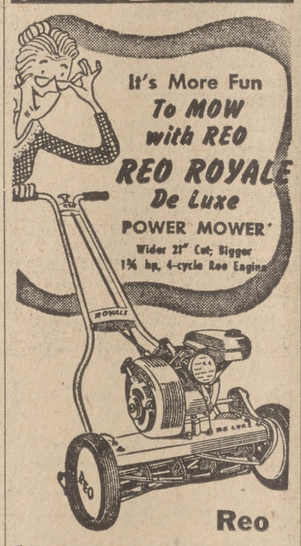

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